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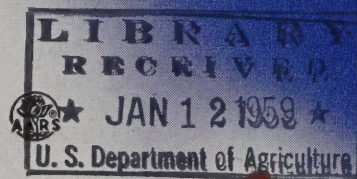
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# Starfire





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5—M 540 **Tenor**—New for 1959. Giant heads of brilliant scarlet-crimson.

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We are proud of this collection, America's finest varieties. These big, selected plants are guaranteed satisfactory when you get them and when they bloom.

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# How to Order

In the comfort and privacy of your own home, you can look through this catalog and select Inter-State's Guaranteed Nursery Stock and Seeds.

1. Write your order for Nursery Stock and Bulbs on the order blank on the back of this page.
2. Write your order for Seeds and Supplies on the order blank at the back of the catalog between pages 82 and 83.

If you run out of our order blanks you can use any sheet of paper, but be sure to put your orders for Seeds and orders for Nursery Stock on separate sheets of paper. You can mail both orders in the same envelope. This will help us both since our Seeds and Supplies are handled in a separate department and are shipped at once while Nursery Stock is shipped at the proper planting time in your locality.

### 3. Print or Write name, and address on all orders.

In making out your orders please write or print very plainly, giving your full name and complete address, street or rural route. Also list your nearest express office if it is different from your post office as we sometimes ship by *prepaid express* instead of parcel post unless you object. All members of the same family, living at the same address, please order under one name.

### 4. Order all items by catalog number.

This helps us give you better service and helps avoid mistakes. List quantity, variety and size of items wanted.

### 5. You can send us money order, draft or check.

If you send currency or cash, wrap it carefully and register your letter. A money order is a better way to send payment.

**Please do not ask us to ship C.O.D.** The post office and express companies make an extra charge for this service, which makes your cost greater.

### Sales Tax

Customers living in Iowa will add 2% to the amount of their order, which the Iowa Law requires us to collect.

### Mail Your Order Early

On page 3 is a list of premiums you get for ordering early. Be sure to list the premiums you wish on your order so all can be sent in one shipment. When you are through with your Spring Catalog, perhaps your neighbor would like to see it. Thank you.

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10 Elizabeth the Queen  
10 Mother Fischer  
10 Spic and Span  
10 Spotlight Yellow  
10 Red Charm

### YY 1 All 50 Fine Bulbs for only \$2.25 Postpaid

20 Elizabeth the Queen  
20 Mother Fischer  
20 Spic and Span  
20 Spotlight Yellow  
20 Red Charm

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We send you first quality, fine bulbs 1 to 1¼ inches across (diameter). We can offer them at this special price only because we sell millions of Glads. Each variety is labeled and sacked separately. **GUARANTEED TO PLEASE YOU WHEN YOU GET THE BULBS AND ALSO WHEN THEY BLOOM THIS SUMMER.**

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**FREE!** Be sure to put on your order the Premiums you select for sending in your order **EARLY**. See page 3.





## FREE Premiums with orders of \$5.00 or more!

If you send us your order for Nursery Stock EARLY (seeds are not included), you may select Free Premiums as follows:

- On Nursery orders of \$5.00 select ONE of these seven Premiums.
- On Nursery orders of \$10.00 select TWO premiums, alike or different.
- On Nursery orders of \$15.00 select THREE premiums, alike or different.
- With each additional \$5.00 select one more premium.

The Premiums you select MUST BE WRITTEN ON THE ORDER, or none will be sent, even if you notify us later. However, if you send us another order, then you can include Premiums you overlooked on a previous order of the same season.

**IMPORTANT**—If we run short on some items, we reserve the privilege of changing premiums, sending you stock of equal or greater value.

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- No. 2**—2 Giant Primroses, worth \$1.50.
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# Inter-State's Guarantee

1. We guarantee our stock to be true to name. If it proves otherwise, we will replace free or refund the amount you paid us for it.

2. We guarantee our stock to be first quality and to reach you in good, live, growing condition. Examine it carefully upon arrival, and, if you are not entirely satisfied, return it at once and we will replace it free or refund your money.

3. Our stock is carefully handled, and under ordinary conditions should grow for you. But if it does not, owing to the weather and other conditions over which we have no control, we will replace at half price the following season, you to notify us not later than October 1st, 1959, accompanying your report with remittance of one-half original purchase price.

*We want you to be satisfied. If anything is wrong, we want you to write to us.*



L. R. (Les) SJULIN



CARL O. (Billy) SJULIN

## AND THE MEN BEHIND IT

The Inter-State Nurseries are owned and operated by three brothers, Carl O., Leslie R., and David L. O. Sjulín (this is a Swedish name and is pronounced "Shoe-lin"). Practically born and raised in the nursery business, we have grown to be the Largest Direct-to-You Nurseries in America, with hundreds of thousands of customers. We have 1600 acres of the finest soil in the world, ideal for growing nursery stock.

## What you should know about Inter-State Nurseries

The most important facts are that back of this firm are life-times of nursery experience, plus the best nursery soil, and a sincere desire and effort to please and satisfy our customers.

Our soil, called Loess by the geologists, is very rare, occurring in only a few places throughout the entire world. Even in Iowa, famous for its rich soil, this Loess is rated something very special and super-excellent. We have a long growing season, time to make the husky plants you like to set out. And our winters are cold enough (sometimes 20 below zero) to assure hardiness. Normally rainfall is ample. But we have nearly 300 acres under irrigation where we grow perennials and such stock as needs more regular watering. In one of these fields we grew over a million Phlox, the very plants listed on Page 2. They are big plants, the finest we ever grew.

We three brothers, Carl, Les, and Dave worked for a large nursery on Saturdays and school vacations. In 1919 we moved to Hamburg, establishing our own nursery, growing and selling at wholesale to other nurseries. In 1931 we decided that as long as we were growing the nursery stock, we should sell it Direct-To-You, the final customer. So we issued our first catalog Spring 1931.

Now as the years have gone by, we are aided by our sons, who have grown up in the business, and an exceptionally fine organization, many have been with us since our first catalog and even before.

### Our new storage

In 1955 we built a completely new storage, exclusively for roses. Visitors have told us it is America's finest. The temperature and humidity are controlled so that rose plants keep dormant and in perfect planting condition as far into late spring and summer as we wish and providing they are not sold sooner. We also refrigerated completely our large regular storage for trees, shrubs, etc. This stock will stay dormant and in perfect planting condition until late in the season. **This means we can serve you better than ever before.**



D. L. O. (Dave) SJULIN

### About this catalog

It is not just a sales book, but a Guide to Better Planting. After you look it through, you will agree it is our finest Catalog. We have tried hard to make it more helpful, better illustrations (but it is absolutely impossible to reproduce on paper the real beauty of nature, the texture the sheen, the glowing colors). You will find New Roses such as Starfire on page 1 and Ivory Fashion on the catalog envelope. Perennials that are not only new but better, such as Purple Showers Hybrid Violet, Penstemon Prairie Bells, Giant Primroses and New Hardy Asters on pages 54 and 55. And, the flower sensation of 1959, the fabulous new Ballerina Ruffled Double Begonias are pictured on page 84. For many years we have devoted much time and effort on the best methods of producing Dwarf Fruit Trees. No nursery in America has a finer selection of these **Amazing Little Giants**, small trees, giant fruits. You will find them on pages 18, 19 and 20.

### Finally

This then is a short story about the Inter-State Nurseries, a national institution, the largest of its kind. It has helped to make America More Beautiful, More Fruitful. Its proudest possessions are the thousands of voluntary letters telling about the greater enjoyment, better health, more beauty, and the satisfaction of making homes better places in which to live.



# Important Information

## It's Easy to Order by Mail from Inter-State

You can relax in the comforts of your home while you order by mail from Inter-State Nurseries. Pick out the items you want to plant this spring from the 84 colorful pages of this catalog. Write your order for Nursery Stock on the order blank opposite page 2 or use the one opposite page 83 if you order Seeds or Supplies from pages 6 & 7. Fill in your full name and complete address and enclose your remittance either by money order, check, bank draft or currency. If you send currency, please register your letter. Mail to us and when the proper planting time comes for your locality, we will ship your order Direct-to-You. Plant the stock, watch it grow and enjoy the added beauty and fruitfulness of your home.

## We Pay Postage, except large trees are shipped express collect

Please note that most items in this catalog are DELIVERED TO YOU, POSTPAID. This means that you pay no postage or handling charges on those items. Some Fruit and Shade Trees listed "Not Postpaid" are too large to go by parcel post. They are shipped by express, you pay the express charges. **We include extra stock to help pay the express.**

In some orders there are trees which must go by express and also some stock (shrubs and roses) which would go parcel post. To avoid making two separate shipments of trees, shrubs and roses (see below), we send these entire orders by express. For this privilege, we include extra stock which has a greater value than the additional express charges amount to.

## Nursery Stock is shipped at proper planting time

Nursery Stock and Seeds are not shipped together. Seeds and Supplies are shipped at once. Nursery stock is shipped at proper planting time in your locality. We are equipped so that we can start shipping to southern states early in the year. As the season advances, we keep shipping farther north until in May we are shipping to the most northern states. If you want your order shipped on a particular date, please write this on your order.

## SEPARATE SHIPMENTS

### Please read this carefully

Trees (both fruit and shade), shrubs, hedging, small fruit plants, vines (except Clematis) and roses are shipped first, because they should be planted first as they can stand late frosts and cold snaps after being planted. But perennials, bulbs, clematis, should not be planted as early, therefore they are shipped separately often 2 or 3 weeks later. So your order may be sent in several separate shipments in order that you get your stock at the best planting time to give you the best results. For example, if you have ordered roses, shrubs or trees and also perennials or bulbs, you will get the roses, shrubs or trees first and the perennials or bulbs later. After you get the roses, shrubs, you need not write us about not getting perennials or bulbs as we will ship them a little later on.

## New Method of Wrapping

We are now using a new product, Polyethylene or Polyethylene-coated kraft paper, which retains the natural moisture of plants for several days yet allows them to "breathe". Exhaustive tests by leading colleges and universities and practical use have proven this to be the best method of shipping nursery stock. It means that your nursery stock will arrive in perfect condition **EVEN WITHOUT MOSS OR OTHER PACKING MATERIAL**. If shipment arrives during a spell of bad weather, you can leave it in the package for several days. Of course, you should plant as soon as you can because the sooner you get it in the ground, the sooner it starts growing and the quicker you get flowers or fruit.

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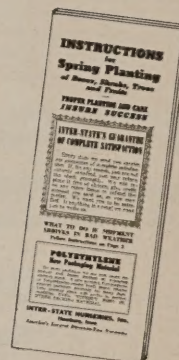
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You select from our catalog whatever you wish us to send. With your remittance, give us the name and complete address to whom you want it shipped. We will send this party a suitable Gift Certificate giving your name as donor and listing the stock you selected (without prices). It will be shipped at the proper planting time. *We guarantee satisfaction to you and to those receiving the gifts.*

## Helpful Planting Guide Free!

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## We Are America's Largest Direct-to-You Nurseries

Because we grow and sell direct-to-you more nursery stock than any other nursery, we can sell first quality stock at reasonable prices. Our soil is rated the finest in all America for growing nursery stock. It produces wonderful roots and fine tops. If you have never planted any of our seeds, order some this year. They are guaranteed to grow.

## Centrally Located

We are located near the geographical center of the United States, with railroad facilities that enable us to ship promptly in all directions, North, South, East and West.

## Sales Tax

The Iowa law requires us to collect a sales tax of 2% on all orders sent to us **BY PEOPLE LIVING IN IOWA**. Iowa customers will please add this amount to their orders. **BUT PEOPLE NOT LIVING IN IOWA DO NOT SEND ANY SALES TAX.**

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## BUG-DUST-O-CIDE

For Insects and Plant Diseases

1. **NON-POISONOUS TO HUMANS AND DOMESTIC ANIMALS WHEN USED AS DIRECTED.**
2. **MULTI-PURPOSE**—Has a triple action on certain insects—as a stomach poison, a contact poison and as a repellent.
3. **EFFECTIVE**—Satisfied users everywhere recommend Bug-Dust-O-Cide.
4. **EASY-TO-USE**—ready to apply—no mixing, no fuss or bother.

### POSTPAID PRICES

K 25	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ Pounds Bug-Dust-O-Cide and Duster.....	\$1.95
K 33	3 Pounds Bug Dust-O-Cide.....	1.95
K 50	5 Pounds Bug-Dust-O-Cide.....	2.85
K 55	5 $\frac{1}{2}$ Pounds Bug-Dust-O-Cide and Duster.....	3.25
K 100	10 Pounds Bug-Dust-O-Cide.....	4.85

## INTER-STATE'S ROSE DUST

Guaranteed Satisfactory or Your Money Refunded

You will receive greater enjoyment from your roses by using Inter-State's new improved Rose Dust. It eliminates fungus diseases and insect damage, keeping your plants vigorous and healthy which means more and larger flowers.

Ready to use, no mixing and it is economical. Fully described on page 51. POSTPAID.

K 150	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ pounds Rose Dust and Duster for	\$2.25
K 151	3 pounds Rose Dust for	2.15
K 152	5 pounds Rose Dust for	2.95
K 153	10 Pounds Rose Dust for	4.95

## NEW ROSE SPRAY

A multi-purpose, concentrated formula for complete insect and fungus disease control. Use on Roses, Mums, Phlox, Evergreens, etc. Easy to use and Economical. Postpaid.

K 57	4 Oz. for	\$1.00	K 58	8 Oz. for	\$1.85
K 59	1 Pound for	\$2.95			

## DOG-CHECK

Keeps the Dogs Away

K 35 1 Dog-Check Aerosol  
Bomb for \$1.50

Guaranteed to keep dogs, cats and other animals away from places they are not wanted. Harmless to humans, non-poisonous. Easy to use, just press the trigger. One application lasts up to 2 weeks. Postpaid.

K 21 3 Fluid Ounces Dog-Check  
for 65c Postpaid

Guaranteed dog repellent. Economical, easy to use.



## Super MOLE-NOTS

KILLS THE MOLES IN THE GROUND

No Traps • No Gas • No Exposed Poison

A new, improved method to rid your lawn or garden of pesty Moles. Ready to use Peanuts treated with odorless Thalium Sulphate, a poison deadly to moles, kills them right in the ground.

Guaranteed to Kill Moles or Money Refunded

Use according to the simple instructions with each package. Guaranteed to kill the moles or purchase price will be refunded. To quickly eradicate the entire family of moles, place these Peanuts in all visible runways, at intervals of two or three feet. The Moles eat them and die. These Peanuts, if placed around the edge and throughout a freshly made flower bed (in the ground), will eliminate the loss of bulbs or plants. Keep an ample supply on hand to treat new runways as soon as they appear. They are POISON so be sure to keep out of reach of children and pets. Postpaid.

K 6	4 ounces for	\$1.00	K 7	8 ounces for	\$1.90
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## BETTER HOMES AND GARDENS GARDEN BOOK

K 12 Each \$3.95 Postpaid

This information-packed book will help improve your gardening. It contains 480 loose leaf pages divided into 20 easy-to-use, tab-indexed chapters covering every phase of gardening. Compiled by the Editors and Experts of one of America's Finest Garden Magazines, it tells you how to select and use trees, shrubs, flowers, etc., in simple, step-by-step instructions. Over 1,000 drawings and photographs, many in full color. Guaranteed satisfactory or your money refunded.



## BETTER HOMES AND GARDENS FLOWER ARRANGING BOOK

K 11 Each \$2.95 Postpaid

This sensational new book is designed to show you, step by step, how to create attractive arrangements easily, expertly. With 200 pictures, 115 in full color, you'll learn the three basic styles—Traditional, Oriental and Modern. Be the envied hostess by showing off the lovely ways to use flowers in your home learned from this inspirational book. Guaranteed satisfactory or your money refunded.



## NEW "ARTOX" KILLS CRAB GRASS

K 60 3 ounce can for \$1.00, Postpaid

Artox contains Sodar, the new formulation which KILLS Crab Grass. You can have a beautiful lawn without digging, raking or hard work to get rid of the No. 1 lawn pest, Crab grass. Just mix ARTOX with water and spray it on. ARTOX kills Crab grass, both young and old plants, without damaging the regular lawn grasses. Economical, the 12-oz. size covers up to 3,600 square feet depending on the amount of Crab grass.

Postpaid Prices on ARTOX

K 60 3 ounce can, \$1.00 K 61 12 ounce can, \$2.75  
K 62 28 ounce can, \$5.45

ARTOX combined with 2-4-D for control of Dandelion, Plantain and other broad-leaved weeds as well as Crab grass.

Postpaid Prices on ARTOX plus 2-4-D

K 66 4 ounce can, \$1.25 K 67 1 pound can, \$3.45  
K 68 2 pound can, \$5.95

## WEEDEZ Wonder-Stick Kills Weeds in Your Lawn

The WEEDEZ Wonder-Stik is a new, easy-to-use method to rid your lawn of dandelions, plantain or other broad-leaved weeds. This is a special 2, 4-D formulation with wax which kills weeds quickly, easily. There is no mixing, no mess, no spray, no drift. All you do is walk over your lawn and rub the wax on the weeds. In a few hours the weeds die and you have a beautiful lawn. Weedeze comes in a long, strong tube which eliminates, bending or stooping. The Wonder-Stik is especially recommended for spot treatment in lawns. If your lawn is heavily infested with weeds, we recommend the Weedeze Wonder Bar below. Postpaid.

K 38 One Weedeze Wonder-Stik for \$2.98

**WEEDEZ WONDER BAR.** This is the same 2, 4-D with wax formulation as the Wonder-Stik above only it is a wide bar with pull string. All you do is pull the Wonder Bar over your lawn and the wax rubs off on the broad-leaved weeds. In a few hours the weeds die leaving your lawn beautiful and weed-free. Convenient, ready-to-use, effective. Recommended for heavily infested lawns.

K 39 One Weedeze Wonder Bar \$4.98 Postpaid



NEW  
IMPROVED

## IMPERIAL HOME ORCHARD SPRAY

K 80 1 Pound for \$1.95, Postpaid

K 81 3 Pounds for 4.95, Postpaid

This amazing new home orchard spray contains three of the newest and most potent insecticides and fungicides, Captan, Malathion and Methoxychlor, all scientifically combined in one Multi-Purpose Spray. You merely add water. One pound makes 12 gallons of spray. It is ideal for home fruit growing as this one spray controls insects and diseases in one spray material. It controls such insects as curculio, codling Moth, Oriental Fruit Moth, Japanese Beetle, Leaf Rollers, Aphids, etc.; and diseases like scab, blotch, brown rot, cedar rust, leaf spot, etc. It also can be used as a dormant spray. Home fruit growing can be made pleasant and profitable. Simple directions on the package. This Multi-Purpose Spray does three things:

1. Contact insecticide killing many insects by contact.
2. Fungicide for diseases.
3. Control for chewing insects.

And it can be used right up to harvest.

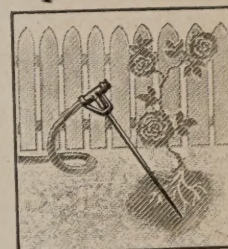
New, Improved

## ROOT FEEDER

K 26 Each \$5.95 Postpaid

with 12 regular fertilizing cartridges

The Ross Foot Feeder puts the fertilizer and water directly to the roots. Produces healthier and more vigorous growth. Especially fine for roses, shrubs and trees. In the spring it is a quick booster. In the summer insures food and water during dry spells. In the fall necessary to prevent winter damage. Simple, easy to use.



Keep a supply of cartridges on hand. Postpaid

- K 27 12 Regular (8-16-8) for general feeding. \$1.00.  
K 28 12 Acid cartridges (10-20-20) used for evergreens and acid loving plants like Azaleas, Blue Hydrangea, etc. \$1.00.  
K 29 12 Starter (9-46-15) for spring feeding. \$1.00.  
K 24 12 Rose cartridges (15-25-10) for larger blooms and healthier foliage. Contains chelated Iron. \$1.00.

## RA-PID-GRO Complete Plant Food

For Better Roses Shrubs and Trees, Better Gardens and Lawns

K 160 1 Pound for \$1.35, Postpaid

We wish everybody would use Ra-Pid-Gro. It will greatly increase the enjoyment you will receive from your lawn, garden, roses, trees and shrubs. RA-PID-GRO is a concentrated, complete plant food (23-21-17 plus trace elements). Easy to use, all you do is mix with water. Economical, 1 pound makes 22 gallons of quick-acting fertilizer. Dual Purpose, use for foliage feeding and around plants. Effective, you will get more, larger flowers and fruit.

**USE RA-PID-GRO WHEN PLANTING**, you simply put 4 level teaspoonfuls of RA-PID-GRO in 1 gallon of water (8 level teaspoonfuls in 2 gallons of water, etc.). Soak the roots of roses, shrubs, and trees 3 to 4 minutes; just dip perennial roots and strawberry plants for a second or two. Plant immediately, protecting all roots from sun and wind, and pour the solution around the newly planted stock and water well.

**USE RA-PID-GRO EVERY 2 OR 3 WEEKS** throughout the season for the best results from both new and old plantings. Water thoroughly after fertilizing. It is marvelous for invigorating lawns. For use on lawns and large areas, we have a special nozzle attachment for your hose which automatically measures the correct amount of RA-PID-GRO. It costs \$1.75, Postpaid. Try RA-PID-GRO at our risk. If you are not entirely satisfied, your money will be refunded. Postpaid.

- K 159 6 Ounces for \$ .60 K 161 2 Pounds for \$2.50  
K 160 1 Pound for 1.35 K 162 5 Pounds for 4.85  
K 163 10 Pounds for \$9.25



# Plant Nut Trees for profit, beauty, shade and food



Thomas Black Walnut, Actual Size

## THOMAS BLACK WALNUT

**N 1** When the long cold evenings of winter come, what a pleasure it is to crack some Black Walnuts to eat or for fudge, or for mother. She can use them in so many different ways and what a delicious flavor they add. Everybody likes Black Walnuts, but the common Black Walnut is small and it is hard to get out the meats.

Now you can have the Thomas grafted Black Walnut, which is giant size with kernels much larger, better flavor and much easier to get out. Thomas is fast growing and produces very large nuts. It is the greatest nut tree of the country. You should plant it because—

1. It bears very young, often second year after planting. A mature tree will produce 15 to 40 bushels of giant size nuts which sell for \$4.00 or more per bushel.
2. The nuts are immense size as pictured above. They crack easily so the meats come out in halves and quarters. A bushel of nuts cracks out 10 to 12 pounds of meats.
3. The nuts are delicious flavor and because they are so large and plump and come out in halves and quarters they sell for \$1.25 or more a pound.
4. It will grow in almost every state in America. It is not particular as to soil.
5. Plant a tree or two for your own use. If you have room, plant more for profit. Plant 50 feet apart and 2 or 3 inches deeper than they stood in the nursery.
6. In time the tree will grow large and walnut logs are becoming scarce. If you wished you could sell the trees for lumber at a good price. These are grafted trees and grow rapidly.

### Prices on Thomas Black Walnuts

	Each	2 for	6 for	12 for
4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid.....	\$3.95	\$7.45	\$21.50	\$39.50
3 to 4 feet, Not Postpaid.....	3.60	6.85	19.50	35.50
2 to 3 feet, Postpaid.....	3.45	6.35	17.50	32.50

Newly planted Walnut, Pecan and Chestnut trees are slow to start. After digging hole, fill it with water, twice is better than once, to thoroughly soak the sub-soil. After planting, water again. Then if weather is dry, water every 2 weeks. When you water, do it thoroughly. The moisture must get down to the roots. We have found that using Ra-Pid-Gro (page 7) when planting and several times during the summer is beneficial. It is a quick acting fertilizer, stimulating growth.

## STUART PECAN

*Thin Shelled*  
*High Quality*  
*Bears Heavily and Regularly*



**N 42 Stuart Pecan.** This is the hardiest of the regular Pecan varieties which are grown throughout the South. It lives, bears and matures its nuts as far north as Kansas City, Missouri. We do not advise planting north of Kansas City. Stuart is very thin shelled and cracks easily into halves. The nuts are high quality with that real, delicious Pecan flavor. The tree with its rich green foliage, perfect form is attractive enough to plant in your front yard. It bears heavily and regularly, large nuts just like those you buy. This outstanding variety not only can be planted farther north than other Pecans but is also one of the best kinds grown in the regular Pecan sections of the South. If you live south of central Missouri, you should plant a Stuart Pecan tree and grow the delicious nuts right in your own yard.

4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each \$6.95
3 to 4 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each 5.95
2 to 3 feet, Postpaid.....	Each 4.95

## CHINESE CHESTNUTS

*Blight Resistant*  
*Large, Sweet Nuts*  
*Bear Very Young*



**N 17** These Chinese Chestnuts are seedling trees from selected parents which have been found to be superior. They start bearing very young, the larger sizes bear generally just a year or two after planting. The nuts are large, sweet, fine flavor. They develop into rather large, handsome trees, attractive enough to plant in your lawn

as a shade tree. They are entirely hardy with us but we do not recommend planting them where temperature regularly falls to more than 15 below zero. Yields will be larger if you plant two trees so they can cross-pollinize.

5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid. Each	\$3.65, 2 for \$6.50
4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid. Each	3.15, 2 for 5.85
3 to 4 feet, Postpaid..... Each	2.65, 2 for 4.85

## HARDY ENGLISH WALNUTS Carpathian

**N 30** You know what the popular English Walnuts are which are grown on the west coast. These Carpathian English Walnuts are just like them, thin-shelled, fine flavor but the Carpathians are far hardier. They will live and bear in all but the most extreme cold states like Minnesota, Dakotas, etc. Our trees are propagated by grafting from a selected tree which started bearing young, heavily, regularly and has proven hardy. They develop into quite large specimen trees, magnificent in the lawn or back yard.

4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each \$5.95
3 to 4 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each 4.95
2 to 3 feet, Postpaid.....	Each 4.35

**INTER-STATE NURSERIES, Hamburg, Iowa.**



# Fresh from Your Own Garden!

## WONDERFUL, TASTY

### Rhubarb

Rhubarb is the earliest spring vegetable. Some list it as a fruit because once planted it lasts a lifetime, coming up year after year without special care or attention. Plant 3 to 4 feet apart, covering the crown with 2 inches of soil.

We do not list the common Rhubarb because these two kinds are so far superior. In the first place they are much larger, far better flavor, sweeter and the skin of both is so tender that they need not be peeled. Also you can use them for many weeks, spring and summer. Both are very productive with large, tender, juicy stalks. Ordinarily these are seedless but if a seed stalk should develop, cut it off at once as it takes strength from the plant. POSTPAID.

**A 65 Chipman's Canada® Red**—This new rhubarb has large stalks that are red from top to bottom, even the flesh is red. It does not lose this rich color in cooking. Juicy and sweetest of all, takes less sugar. Seedless. Skin is so tender you need not peel it. Very productive, you can pull the stalks all spring and summer.

**Each \$1.00, 3 for \$2.65, 6 for \$4.85**

**A 61 MacDonald Red**—A tremendous producer of giant size stalks all spring and summer. Stalks are 18 to 24 inches tall, many half as thick as your wrist. Seedless. It is 2 to 3 times larger than common rhubarb, far more tender, delicious and sweeter. Its bright red skin and tender flesh makes very attractive and fine tasting sauce and pies. Skin so tender it needs no peeling.

**Each \$1.00, 3 for \$2.65, 6 for \$4.85**

## RHUBARB SPECIALS

**2 Canada Red 1 MacDonald Red**

AA 70 **All 3 for \$2.45 Postpaid**

**1 Canada Red 1 MacDonald Red**

AA 71 **Both for \$1.75 Postpaid**

## FLAVOR-PACKED

### Horseradish

**A 147 The Bohemian variety** which has that crisp, snappy taste yet it is not bitter. Our crown plants will make usable roots the very first year.

**6 for \$1.00, 3 for 55c  
Postpaid**

## DELICIOUS, TENDER

### Asparagus

For home use plant Asparagus 18 to 24 inches apart each way, 3 to 4 inches deep, spreading the roots out flat. Lasts a lifetime. Our Jumbo plants are the finest we have ever seen and save a year's time. It is mighty nice in the spring to be able to go out in your garden and cut fresh asparagus for 6 to 8 weeks. They taste better and save you money.

Mary Washington  
Asparagus

## GOOD HEALTH SPECIAL

**12 Improved Mary Washington  
Asparagus, Specimen**

**2 Chip. Canada Red Rhubarb**

AA 72 **All 14 for \$2.95  
Postpaid**

## NEW, IMPROVED

## MARY WASHINGTON ASPARAGUS

*Hill's Selected Giant Strain*

**A 50 New Improved Mary Washington Asparagus** (Hill's Selected Strain)—This is the finest strain of America's most popular Asparagus. It is extremely tender and stays that way all through the season. The giant size, delicious, juicy tips can be cut for 2 months starting in early spring. There's nothing finer than serving your own home-grown fresh Asparagus. Your family will enjoy it and it's healthful too. Plant plenty this spring. It will come up year after year with more tender tips each spring. This is a vigorous, rust-proof strain. Postpaid.

	Per 12	Per 25	Per 50	Per 100
Specimen Plants.	\$1.65	\$2.95	\$4.95	\$8.95
Jumbo Plants....	1.25	2.25	3.95	6.95
Heavy Plants....	1.00	1.85	3.25	5.65

## GOOD HEALTH SPECIAL

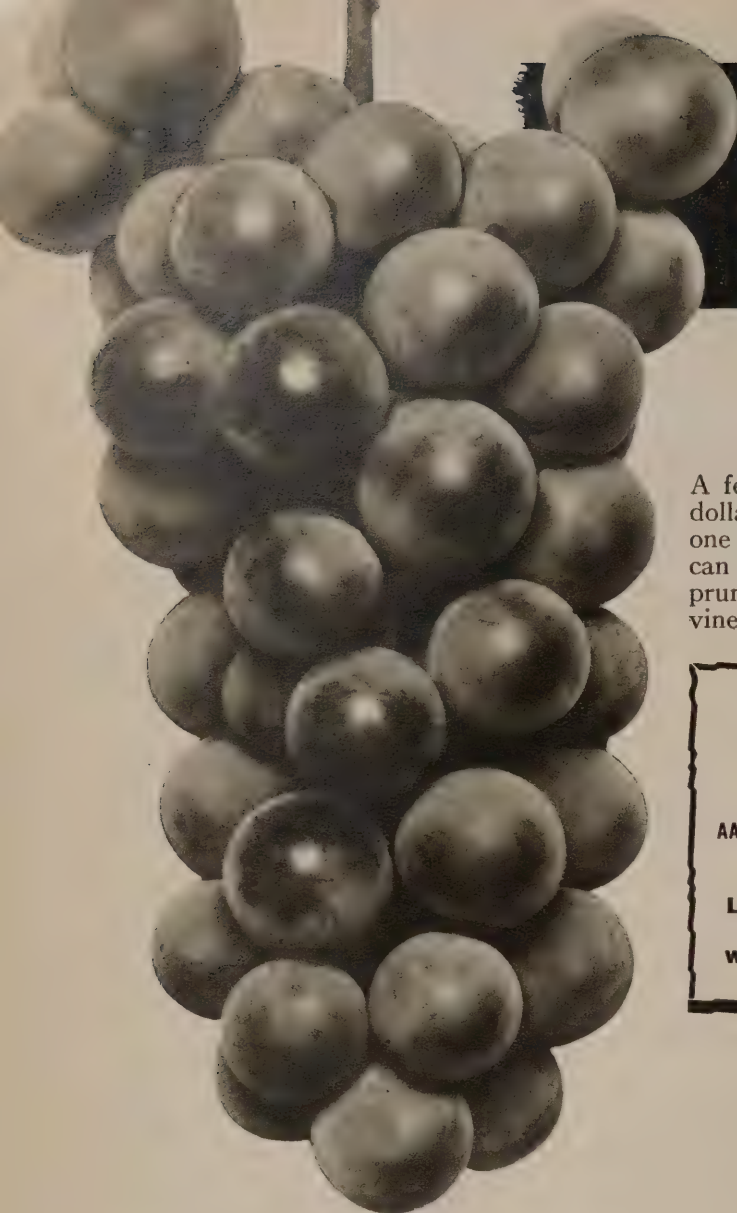
**25 Improved Mary Washington  
Asparagus, Specimen**

**4 Chip. Canada Red Rhubarb**

AA 73 **All 29 for \$4.95  
Postpaid**







# INTER-STATE'S Grapes

**THE BEST ALL-PURPOSE FRUIT**  
**BEARS EVERY YEAR, GOOD FOR JAMS, JELLIES**  
**SAUCE, JUICE AND FINE FOR EATING FRESH**

A few dollars' worth of grape vines will supply you with many dollars' worth of fruit for a lifetime. Our big husky 2-year number one vines are the finest grown in America. They bear young. You can plant along the lot line or fence, 8 feet apart. Planting and pruning instructions sent with each order. If you have no grape vines, plant some this spring sure.

## CONCORD

**GREATEST OF ALL  
GRAPES**

AA 122

**3 for \$1.45**

**Large 2-Year, No. 1 Vines  
Postpaid**

**We will include Free 1 Fredonia  
Grape worth 60c.**

A 106 **Concord**—For more than 50 years it has outsold all other grapes. Bears heavily every year. Large bunches of blue-black grapes, tender, sweet, juicy, delicious.

### CONCORD POSTPAID PRICES

#### Large 2-Year No. 1 Vines

Each	2 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
55c	\$1.00	\$2.35	\$3.95	\$6.95

#### Standard 2-Year No. 2 Vines

Each	2 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
45c	80c	\$1.85	\$3.25	\$5.95

## FINE GRAPES

A 109 **Fredonia**—By all means you should plant some of these because they ripen 3 WEEKS BEFORE CONCORD. Big bunches of large blue-black grapes so sweet and delicious. A vigorous grower, hardy and very productive.

A 105 **Niagara**—The favorite white grape with big bunches of those tangy, flavorful fruits.

### POSTPAID PRICES ON FREDONIA AND NIAGARA GRAPES

	Each	3 for	6 for	12 for
Large 2-Year No. 1 Vines.....	60c	\$1.50	\$2.65	\$4.75
Standard 2-Year No. 2 Vines.....	50c	1.25	2.25	3.85

### OUR 3 MOST POPULAR GRAPES

An assortment of our finest grapes, every one hardy, productive and selected so you will have early, medium and late ripening—giving you fresh grapes for many weeks. Our 2-Year No. 1 Large vines generally start bearing next year after planting. This is a very special offer. Postpaid.

**1 Concord      1 Fredonia      1 Niagara**

AA 123

**All 3 for \$1.45**

## NEW EXTRA CHOICE GRAPES

Many homes have Concord grapes only. You do not know what you are missing. You should try some of these new kinds. They are just as hardy as Concord. They bear regularly and heavily and they have an entirely different flavor.

A 108 **Caco**—My, such great big red grapes, so rich and sugary with an unusually sweet flavor. A strong grower, bears young, heavily and regularly.

A 110 **Portland**—Ripens very early, a few days before Fredonia. Fruit is large, attractive amber-white. And it has the most delicious, rich, spicy flavor. Bring in a bowl-full and you will have to go back for more and more. Vigorous and productive.

A 112 **Van Buren**—This new grape ripens a few days before Portland. Fruit is large, blue-black, sweet, juicy, delicious. Hardy and productive. It is fruiting for us and we rate it very highly. Plant at least one for the first ripe grapes of the summer.

### POSTPAID PRICES ON CACO, PORTLAND, VAN BUREN

	Each	3 for	6 for	12 for
Large 2-Year No. 1 Vines.....	65c	\$1.85	\$3.25	\$5.95
Standard 2-Year No. 2 Vines.....	50c	1.35	2.45	4.65

A 107 **Seedless Concord**—The same fine flavor as Concord but not as large and THERE ARE NO SEEDS. Hardy, bears well and regularly. Some think it makes even better Jelly, Jam, Juice, etc., because they think cooking the seeds adds a little bitter taste. You folks who have to spit out seeds when eating fresh grapes should certainly try these.

**Large 2-Year No. 1 Vines, Each \$1.00, 2 for \$1.75**

### Red, White and Blue Collection

**1 Caco  
1 Portland  
1 Concord**

AA 124

**All 3 for \$1.85 Postpaid**

**Large 2-Year No. 1 Vines**

**With each collection we will include without extra charge 1 Seedless Concord worth \$1.00**



## LUSCIOUS *Black Raspberries*

They ripen after strawberries and just ahead of red raspberries. Plant them 3 to 4 feet apart in the row and the rows 6 to 7 feet apart. You can plant a row across the back of your garden. Our Planting Guide, sent with all orders, gives you easy-to-follow instructions about taking care of them. If you make a mulch of lawn rakings or a mixture of straw and leaves and put around the plants in the spring, you will have almost no weeding and hoeing to do and besides this mulch helps hold moisture so the plants produce better. They do fine in part shade, especially afternoon shade.

### BRISTOL BLACK RASPBERRY

A 94 Many believe Bristol to be the best midseason black raspberry. A tremendous producer of large, luscious, glossy jet-black berries even in thin soils where other varieties are failures. The delicious berries are not only sweet and juicy but have an unusually rich black raspberry flavor. They are almost seedless which makes them especially fine for making juice and for freezing. We receive reports from over a wide territory telling of the success of Bristol even in southern states where other varieties fail. Set out a large patch and enjoy the fresh, home-grown berries, so much better than those you buy. POSTPAID.

	5 for	10 for	25 for	100 for
Number One Plants	\$1.35	\$2.45	\$4.95	\$16.45
Number Two Plants	1.15	1.95	3.95	13.95

A 93 **New Logan**—Ripens a week or more before the others. Plant some so you will have those delicious first-to-ripen raspberries. A heavy bearer, the fruit is large and high quality. Bears well even on sandy soils. POSTPAID.

	5 for	10 for	25 for	100 for
Number One Plants	\$1.35	\$2.45	\$4.95	\$16.45
Number Two Plants	1.15	1.95	3.95	13.95

A 92 **Cumberland**—For many years this has been America's favorite black raspberry because year after year it regularly produces its big crops of those big, juicy, sweet, delicious berries. POSTPAID.

	5 for	10 for	25 for	100 for
Number One Plants	\$1.35	\$2.45	\$4.95	\$16.45
Number Two Plants	1.15	1.95	3.95	13.95

### RASPBERRY GARDEN, Postpaid

5 Morrison Black Raspberries, No. 1 Plants } AA 96  
5 Latham Red Raspberries, Bearing Age Plants } All 10 for \$2.95  
Free 2 Black Hawk worth 82¢

10 Morrison Black Raspberries, No. 1 Plants } AA 97  
10 Latham Red Raspberries, Bearing Age Plants } All 20 for \$4.95  
Free 4 Black Hawk worth \$1.65



Morrison

## Morrison

### New Giant Black Raspberry

A 91 **Morrison** is a new variety that ripens a few days after Cumberland. The berries are immense size, glossy black, so attractive that they sell on sight. The fruit is almost seedless, is firm, very sweet, juicy and most delicious flavor. Extra fine for eating fresh and for sauce, jams and pies. Plant some Morrison this spring. When it starts fruiting, you will wish you had ordered more. POSTPAID.

	5 for	10 for	25 for	100 for
No. 1 Plants	\$1.45	\$2.65	\$5.25	\$17.25
No. 2 Plants	1.25	2.25	4.45	14.95

## SWEET, JUICY *Red Raspberries*

Red Raspberries are delicious to eat fresh, for pies, shortcakes, sauce, jam, juice and freezing. Plant them 3 to 4 feet apart in the row and the rows 6 to 7 feet apart. Very hardy, they do best in the northern, eastern and central states. Our 2-Year Bearing Age plants WILL BEAR THIS YEAR. You will find more red raspberries listed on page 16.

### A 87 LATHAM — America's most popular red raspberry

In early summer it produces a heavy crop of large, bright red, delicious berries. So good to eat fresh, makes wonderful pies and delightful preserves, and fine for freezing. Latham is an outstanding performer even in ordinary soil. At these low prices you can plant freely. Fresh-frozen raspberries taste delicious during the winter months. POSTPAID.

	5 for	10 for	25 for	100 for
Bearing Age Plants	\$1.95	\$3.45	\$7.45	\$26.75
Number One Plants	1.55	2.85	6.25	22.50

A 88 **Sodus**—The heaviest bearer of all raspberries we have fruited. Simply astonishing how much fruit a few plants will produce. It is a cross of red and black raspberries. Fruit is very large, purple-red color. Especially fine for sauce, jam and freezing. Ripens for several weeks. POSTPAID.

	5 for	10 for	25 for	100 for
Number One Plants	\$1.35	\$2.45	\$5.45	\$19.50
Number Two Plants	1.10	1.95	4.45	16.75



Latham  
Red Raspberry

SEE PAGE 3 FOR FREE PREMIUMS.



# Grow Your Own Fruit for Delicious Pies, Jams, Sauce or Jelly

## Welcome New Gooseberry for 1959

**A 157 Welcome**—This great new Gooseberry, originated by the University of Minnesota, is available for the first time this spring. Large, high quality berries that will make the most delicious pies, jelly or jam. The attractive light green fruit turns pink when fully ripe, extra fine eating in both stages. Welcome is a very heavy bearer giving you quart after quart of fruit every year. Easy to pick, very few thorns. These big 2-Year No. 1 Plants will bear the next year after planting. This is the finest Gooseberry we have ever tasted. Plant 3 to 4 feet apart. See Notice Below.

**Big 2-Year No. 1 Plants . . . . Each \$1.45, 3 for \$3.95, Postpaid**

**A 159 Pixwell Gooseberry.** It is a tremendous bearer of medium large, good quality berries. Moreover they hang down on the underside of the branches so they are easy to pick. It bears very young, the next year after planting. Color is light green, turning pink when fully ripe. See Notice Below.

**Big 2-Year No. 1 Plants . . . . Each \$1.00, 3 for \$2.85, Postpaid**



New Welcome Gooseberry, above



Red Lake Currant

## Currants For the finest Jelly and Jam

**A 148 Red Lake**—We think that this is the most productive, the best quality of all currants. The berries are very large, the clusters are long and filled out to the end. The color is a bright glossy red and makes the most beautiful and finest flavored jelly. They grow in ordinary garden soil. Plant 3 to 4 feet apart. Please read NOTICE BELOW.

Our big 2-Year No. 1 plants will start bearing next year after planting.

**Each 65c, 3 for \$1.65, Postpaid**

### IMPORTANT NOTICE

On account of federal regulations we ship Currants and Gooseberries only to the following states—Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Florida, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, Nevada, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oklahoma, South Carolina, South Dakota, Texas, Utah, and Wyoming.



## Thornless Boysenberries

← IMMENSE SIZE • DELICIOUS

**A 140 Thornless Boysenberry**—We have seen berries fully 2 inches long. The fruit ripens over a period of almost 2 months. Eat them fresh for weeks, use them for pies, sauce, preserves and fruit juice. Just like the original Boysenberry but absolutely Thornless. They are almost seedless and a very deep maroon, almost black color when ripe. Plant 8 to 10 feet apart each way. In cold sections it requires winter protection. Postpaid.

**5 for \$1.35, 10 for \$2.45, 25 for \$4.45**

### USE BERRY-SET

For More and Larger Berries

K 17	1 Oz. (Makes 4 gal.)	\$ .50
K 18	3 Oz. (Makes 12 gal.)	1.00
K 19	12 Oz. (Makes 48 gal.)	2.95

BERRY-SET makes berries grow much larger (often 50 to 100% larger), meatier sweeter and more luscious tasting. Yields are also greatly increased by a longer bearing season. Strawberries will have fewer seeds. It is easy to use. All you do is mix Berry-Set (a hormone powder) with water and spray it on the blossoms of your Strawberry, Raspberry or Blackberry plants. Postpaid.



Ebony King Blackberries

## Blackberries

Ripening after the Red Raspberries, Blackberries are delicious. Thrive everywhere except coldest states. Plant 4 feet apart in rows, rows 7 to 8 feet apart. Postpaid.

**A 76 Alfred**—Ripens early but bears a long time. Produces an enormous crop of first-quality fruit. Berries are mammoth in size. Color is jet black; flavor sweet and delicious, nearly coreless and seedless. Heavy bearer.

**Bearing Age Plants** 6 for \$1.45 12 for \$2.45 25 for \$3.95

**A 75 Ebony King**—We have found this new Blackberry to be a heavy and regular producer of large, shiny black, high quality, juicy berries. Higher priced and well worth it.

**Bearing Age Plants** 3 for \$1.65 6 for \$2.65 12 for \$4.45

**A 77 Eldorado**—Late. Very popular Blackberry. The sparkling jet-black berries are large, sweet, delicious and almost coreless. Ripens over a long period. A heavy bearer.

**Bearing Age Plants** 6 for \$1.45 12 for \$2.45 25 for \$3.95



## NEW EARLY PREMIER

25 for \$1.35    50 for \$2.25    100 for \$3.75  
200 for 5.95    500 for 12.50    1000 for 22.50

**A 5 Premier** is by far the most popular extra early strawberry. It is our first variety to ripen. Very productive and produces berries for many days. Berries are very large, firm, rich red color and good quality. Because the blossoms are frost-resistant, it is a sure bearer. Plant some for the first ripe strawberries, for eating fresh and for canning or preserving. This new Virus-Free Premier will be planted exclusively as soon as enough plants are available because of its greater health, vigor and productivity. Self-pollenizing. POSTPAID.



## JUNE SPECIAL

*You will like all of them*  
**Have Fresh Berries For Weeks**

25 New Blakemore  
25 Dunlap  
25 Pocahontas  
25 Early Premier  
25 Giant Robinson  
25 Tennessee Beauty

AA 38 All 150 for \$4.95  
Postpaid  
(Regular Price \$8.00)

LARGE, JUICY

# Strawberries

FRESH FROM YOUR  
OWN GARDEN

*From Inter-State's June-bearing plants,  
grown from virus-free foundation stock.*

**PLANT A PATCH THIS SPRING!**

For more and larger berries, use  
RAPID-GRO (page 7) when planting  
and every 3 or 4 weeks all season.

## DUNLAP, MIDWEST'S FAVORITE

Postpaid  
25 for \$1.25    50 for \$1.95    100 for \$3.25  
200 for 5.45    500 for 11.95    1000 for \$21.50

**A 3 Senator Dunlap** is generally called "Dunlap" for short. We have sold countless millions of this grand strawberry. It is by far the most popular and widely planted in the middle west. Hundreds of thousands of families, every summer, enjoy the fruit. It is so dependable, seems like it never fails to produce a good crop.

Ripens in midseason and is simply delicious to eat fresh, can, preserve and freeze. The fine berries are bright red, easy to pick, easy to stem and tops in quality. Day after day, you can go out and pick a bowl full. Self-pollenizing so it bears even if planted alone. We think it is best to plant several varieties so that you will have fruit over a longer period of time. But if you live in the middle west and have room for only one variety, then we advise planting Dunlap.

## NEW BLAKEMORE

Postpaid  
25 for \$1.35    50 for \$2.25    100 for \$3.75  
200 for 5.95    500 for 12.50    1000 for 22.50

**A 4 Blakemore**—There are probably more Blakemore sold throughout the United States than any other variety simply because it does so well. This new Virus-Free Strain is even better and as soon as available will entirely replace the common Blakemore. Ripens a few days before Senator Dunlap. Especially fine for preserving, canning and freezing because it holds its rich color and shape so well. Best not to let Dad or the children pick them, because they will eat so many right in the patch. Bring some to the table, add sugar and cream and there just isn't anything better. The berries are large, firm, attractive red color and good quality. Self-pollenizing. Bears large crops every year.

## A GRAND STRAWBERRY TRIO

25 Senator Dunlap    25 New Blakemore    25 Early Premier

AA 44 All 75 for \$2.95 Postpaid

## GIANT ROBINSON

Postpaid  
25 for \$1.35    50 for \$2.25    100 for \$3.75  
200 for 5.95    500 for 12.50    1000 for \$22.50

**A 11 Robinson** is a new variety we have fruited here at Hamburg for several years and each passing year we think more and more of it. First of all, it is such a tremendous producer. Starts ripening just about the time Dunlap is finishing and continues for many days. The berries are very large, just a few fill a box or bowl. The color is such an appetizing bright red, grand for eating fresh and simply grand with sugar and cream. Bears so heavily that you have plenty left for canning, preserves or freezing. Self-pollenizing.

## NEW, HUGE POCAHONTAS

Postpaid  
25 for \$1.35    50 for \$2.25    100 for \$3.75  
200 for 5.95    500 for 12.50    1000 for \$22.50

**A 15 Pocahontas** is a new introduction of the U.S.D.A. which produces high quality, delicious, bright red berries that will make your mouth water when they are served at your table. The size is simply huge, only a few will make a serving. Ripens in midseason. The berries are extra firm which means they will freeze and preserve exceptionally well. Our plants are grown from a virus-free strain, highly productive, a strong, vigorous grower. Any way you use them, whether for eating fresh, freezing or preserving, Pocahontas will be one of your favorites. Self-pollenizing.

## NEW TENNESSEE BEAUTY

Postpaid  
25 for \$1.35    50 for \$2.25    100 for \$3.75  
200 for 5.95    500 for 12.50    1000 for 22.50

**A 14 Tennessee Beauty**—We like this new variety very much. Ripens in mid-season. The berries are large, bright red, firm and high quality. Use it any way you like, Fresh, Canning, Preserves, Freezing and it will more than please you. Fine flavor, holds rich color in sauce, preserves and when frozen, firm and solid. Very productive and holds its size right to the end. Strong stems hold up the fruits so they are easy to find and pick. Self-pollenizing.



# PLANT *Everbearing Strawberries* This Spring AND



**Sensational New  
Hybrid Strawberry**  
Pictured on page 15

## Ogallala

**America's Most Delicious Everbearing Strawberry**

**20 for \$2.00      100 for \$6.95**  
**50 for \$3.95      Postpaid 500 for \$29.95**

**A 6 Ogallala.** We are extremely proud to offer America's finest, most delicious everbearing strawberry. Ogallala is the result of 26 years of research, hybridizing and testing, the combined efforts of Dr. LeRoy Powers and Dr. A. C. Hildreth of the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Horticultural Field Station, Cheyenne, Wyoming and Glenn Viehmeyer of the University of Nebraska, North Platte Experiment Station. Their crosses of the wild Rocky Mountain Strawberry with the best garden varieties resulted in over 40,000 seedlings. Out of these came Ogallala which captured the sweet, aromatic flavor of the wild strawberry with the high productivity, large size and everbearing qualities of the named varieties.

In our more than 50 years of nursery experience we have tasted nearly all of the strawberry varieties ever introduced. We honestly believe that Ogallala has the most delicious, real strawberry flavor of all. Be sure to plant a couple rows somewhere in your garden. Each plant will produce a quart this summer and fall under normal conditions. They are superb for eating fresh, fine for freezing and they absolutely cannot be equaled for preserves. The berries are red all the way through which is important for freezing and preserving. Self-pollenizing so it will bear even if planted alone. The highest yielding Everbearing Strawberry in the 1957 tests at Iowa State College, producing at the rate of 11,680 quarts per acre. Do not let the new runner plants get too thick. You need only 4 or 5 new runner plants for each original plant.

**INTER-STATE'S  
GENUINE**

## Giant Gem

**25 for \$1.45      50 for \$2.45      All Postpaid**  
**100 for \$3.95      500 for \$15.95      1000 for \$28.50**

**A 2 Gem** is the variety which has made everbearing strawberries so popular. It withstands adverse conditions and is so extremely productive. The berries are large, firm, bright red and good quality. Especially fine for canning and preserves as berries hold their shape and color. Excellent freezer. Will bear this summer and fall right up to freezing. Next year they will bear spring, summer and fall. Self-pollenizing.



## Red Rich

**A 8 Red Rich (P.P. 993)**—The big, beautiful berries make you hungry just to look at them. When you eat them, you will agree that they certainly have that sweet, delicious, real strawberry flavor. Large, firm, red all the way through and so sweet that you need but little sugar. Perfect for preserves and freezing because they hold their color and shape. Plant some this spring. You will have fruit **THIS SUMMER AND FALL**. Next year you will have berries spring, summer and fall. The plants themselves are so attractive you can plant them in the perennial border.

**12 for \$2.95      50 for \$8.50**  
**25 for \$5.00      Postpaid 100 for \$15.00**

### Everbearing Special

20 Ogallala	} AA 41	<b>All 107 Plants</b>
25 Giant Gem		
25 Streamliner		
25 Superfection		
12 Red Rich		
		<b>for only \$6.95 Postpaid</b>
		<b>Value \$10.40</b>

*All five varieties will bear this summer and fall*

*Under favorable conditions, each plant  
will produce almost one quart*

**Large, Luscious  
Bright Red**

Pictured on page 15

## Superfection

**25 for \$2.00      50 for \$3.35      All Postpaid**  
**100 for \$5.95      500 for \$19.95      1000 for \$37.50**

**A 9 Superfection** is a tremendous bearer. You will have delicious berries this summer and fall. And next year it will bear spring, summer and fall. The berries are big, firm and bright red and red all the way through. Serve them with cream and sugar. For preserves and freezing they are excellent, because they hold their shape and color. It is mighty fine when you can go out in your garden and pick fresh ripe delicious strawberries (saves on the grocery bill, too) spring, summer and fall. Strawberries have always been considered the most delicious of all fruits. A couple of rows across your garden will give you lots of berries. Superfection is self-pollenizing. Water well in dry weather. Without doubt one of the heaviest and most dependable bearers of all everbearing strawberries, it produces over a quart per plant each year under normal conditions.

**Sweet  
Delicious**

Pictured on page 15

## Streamliner

**25 for \$2.00      50 for \$3.35      All Postpaid**  
**100 for \$5.95      500 for \$19.95      1000 for \$37.50**

**A 7 Streamliner**—Never has a new strawberry become so popular as quickly as Streamliner. The reasons are simply that it produces so heavily the big red berries of such fine flavor. **PLANTED THIS SPRING IT WILL BEAR THIS SUMMER AND FALL**. Then next year it will produce a tremendous crop in June and after a short time it will start in again and keep on right up to freezing. The Berries are Big, Red, Sweet and **DELICIOUS**. Streamliner is self-pollenizing so can be planted alone. Eat them, preserve them, freeze them. We want to repeat Streamliner has that rich, sweet real strawberry flavor.



EAT THE DELICIOUS FRUIT This Summer and Fall!

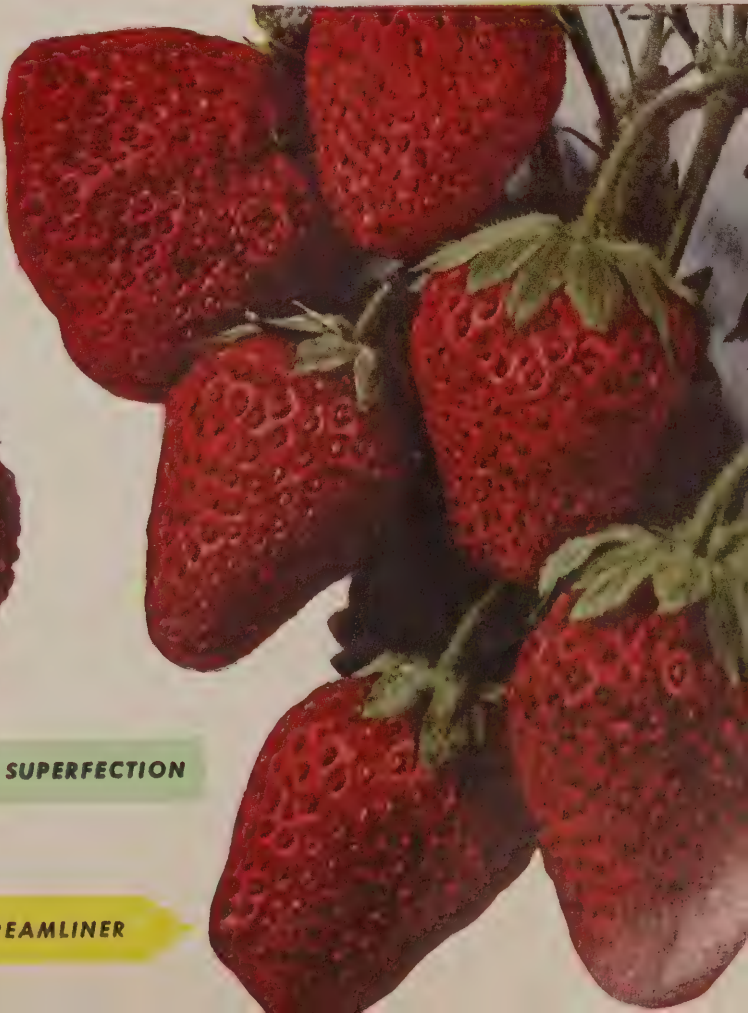
Yes, just think of it! You can plant any of these 5 superior everbearing strawberry varieties described on page 14 this spring and in a few short weeks you will be picking the large, luscious berries. Every home should have a strawberry patch. They take very little care and so little room. You can plant 100 plants in a space just 10 feet by 10 feet. And EACH plant will give you a quart of berries—100 plants for as little as \$3.95 will produce 100 quarts of fruit, which sells readily for 50¢ per quart or \$50.00 worth of strawberries, THE FIRST YEAR (under normal conditions). The next year you will get even more berries. And it's so nice to be able to pick home-grown, healthful fruit, fresh from your own garden. Keep most of the runners cut off, allowing only 4 or 5 runner plants for each original plant. Be sure to plant a patch this spring.

OGALLALA

OGALLALA SPECIAL

20 Ogallala                      25 Superfection  
25 Streamliner  
AA 32 All 70 Plants for only \$3.95  
Postpaid

Our 3 finest everbearing strawberries at a  
sensationally low price. Value \$6.00



SUPERFECTION

STREAMLINER



# Black Hawk

The Finest Black Raspberry in America  
DELICIOUS FLAVOR—TREMENDOUS BEARER

A 95 **Black Hawk** is a new Black Raspberry originated by Iowa State College, Ames, Iowa and introduced Spring 1955. It has been thoroughly tested at Ames and Council Bluffs, Iowa and has out-yielded all other varieties in the test. In favorable years it produced as much as 5000 pints per acre. The berries are very large, almost an inch across. The quality is simply grand, sweet, juicy, richest flavor. Eat them fresh, can them, freeze them or in pies or jam. Anyway you use them, they are wonderful eating. At Ames, usually begins ripening first week in July.

The plants are strong, healthy, vigorous growers and tremendous producers. The berries are firm and stand up well in shipping and handling. Plant them 4 feet apart in the row and rows 8 feet apart. Use the richest soil you have and if weather is dry before ripening, water thoroughly every week. You will be richly rewarded. We believe this is the greatest Black Raspberry in America. Just a few plants in your back yard will give you the delicious fruits. But of course, if you have room, plant more.

## No. 1 Plants, Postpaid

3 for	5 for	10 for	25 for	100 for
\$1.25	\$1.85	\$2.95	\$5.95	\$19.50

## BLACK HAWK SPECIALS

5 Black Hawk No. 1 Plants 5 September 2-Year Plants

AA 98 All 10 for \$2.95 Postpaid

10 Black Hawk No. 1 Plants 10 September 2-Year Plants

AA 99 All 20 for \$4.95 Postpaid



Black Hawk

September

## GIANT SIZE September

THE NEW EVERBEARING  
RED RASPBERRY WILL BEAR  
THIS SUMMER AND FALL

A 84 **September** is a new red raspberry which bears the usual crop in early summer on the old canes. Then the new canes start bearing around mid-September and continue until freezing weather. The berries are huge, the largest red raspberries we have ever seen, much larger than pictured. Bright red color, good quality. Eat them fresh, for pies, jams, sauce. Wonderful for freezing. Our large 2-Year plants will produce some berries this season so you will get just a taste of the delicious fruit you will get in future years. Nearly every home has room for some. They soon pay for themselves. Just think of the benefit and pleasure of picking these huge delicious berries fresh in your own garden. Last fall they were still bearing here in October. Plant 3 to 4 feet apart. Postpaid.

	3 for	5 for	10 for	25 for
2-Year Plants .....	\$1.65	\$2.45	\$4.45	\$9.95
1-Year Plants .....	1.35	2.15	3.65	8.35



A 83 **Amber** is a new variety from the New York State Experiment Station. It is the sweetest of all raspberries. The large berries are a beautiful amber-yellow, high quality, very firm, delicious for eating fresh, jam or freezing. Produces an excellent crop every year, ripening in mid-July. Hardy here but we do not advise planting farther north.

## Postpaid

	3 for	5 for	10 for	25 for
2-Year Bearing Age Plants .....	\$1.45	\$1.95	\$3.45	\$7.45
1 Year No. 1 Plants .....	1.15	1.55	2.75	5.45

A 86 **Indian Summer**—A wonderful TWO CROP red raspberry that bears a big crop in early summer and then in the fall bears another crop on the new canes. Berries are huge, fine red color, excellent quality. WILL BEAR THIS SEASON. Fall crop is best in sections with long fall as it is not as early as Durham or September. Sweet and delicious to eat fresh, canned or frozen.

## Postpaid

	3 for	5 for	10 for	25 for
2-Year Bearing Age Plants .....	\$1.20	\$1.65	\$3.15	\$6.95
1-Year No. 1 Plants .....	.90	1.25	2.25	4.95



## 4-in-1 Cherry Tree

F 87

Our 4 most popular varieties all on one tree

Montmorency  
Kansas Sweet  
Meteor  
Early Richmond

5 to 6 feet tall

Each \$4.95  
Not Postpaid

Montmorency

Yellow Glass

## INTER-STATE Cherries

### Prices on All Cherries, Alike or Assorted

	Each	3 for	6 for	12 for
Specimens, Not Postpaid.....	\$2.65	\$7.45	\$14.50	\$25.50
5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid.....	2.45	6.95	13.50	23.50
4 to 5 feet, Postpaid.....	2.15	5.95	10.95	19.50
3 to 4 feet, Postpaid.....	1.85	4.95	8.95	15.50

Every home should have at least one cherry tree. Bear very young and regularly. You have a handsome tree, lovely flowers and the healthful fruit. We believe that we grow here the finest cherry trees in America, fine branched tops and wonderful roots. Plant 15 to 20 feet apart.

### LUSCIOUS SWEET CHERRIES

**F 76 Black Tartarian**—The big, almost black sweet cherry everybody likes. Ripens in late June. Fine for eating fresh, canning and freezing. Plant a Napoleon beside it so they can cross-pollinize and produce much more.

**F 84 Napoleon (Royal Ann)**—Yellow with a pink blush. Fruit is large, sweet and delicious. Fine for eating, canning and freezing. Ripens in early July. Good pollinizer for Black Tartarian.

**F 78 Yellow Glass**—The hardiest of all sweet cherries. The fruit is large, bright yellow with the real sweet delicious flavor.

### KANSAS SWEET

#### Best Sweet Cherry for Middle-West

**F 77 Kansas Sweet**—This is the only red sweet cherry we know that will bear in the middle west and south to Texas. The fruit is large, dark red, firm, sweet with a most delicious flavor. The tree itself is handsome enough to plant in your front yard—good foliage, fine shape, beautiful flowers and wonderful fruit. Exceptionally fine to use fresh, makes marvelous pies and excellent for freezing. Plant with Montmorency for cross-pollination.

### MONTMORENCY *America's Favorite Cherry*

**F 81 Montmorency**—This is the most popular of all cherries, largely because it is the best of all for canning. And it tastes mighty good to eat fresh right off the tree, especially when fully-ripened, home-grown. The fruit is large, firm, very fine flavor. Ripens about 10 days after Early Richmond. The tree is a rather short grower so the fruit is easily picked. Bears heavily and regularly. Be sure you have at least one tree in your yard. It is handsome enough that many people plant it in their front yard. If you have room for but one cherry, then we recommend this. You simply cannot beat it for eating fresh, for canning, for freezing, for pies, cobbles, preserves. This is the virus-free Gilbert Strain. Self-pollenizing.

### METEOR, *New, Finest Pie Cherry*

**F 85 Meteor**—A new cherry from the Minnesota Experimental Station. The fruit is very large, rich red and excellent flavor. Good for eating fresh, for pies, cobbles, preserves and freezing. Very hardy, it will grow in cold sections where cherries could not be grown heretofore. Healthy, very resistant to leaf spot. The original tree growing near Minneapolis has never failed to bear fruit since it started many years ago. Bears young. Attractive enough to plant right in your front yard. Heavy bearer. Self-pollenizing.

**F 79 Early Richmond**—The first cherry to ripen. In June, full of the bright red, juicy, delicious fruit. Self-pollenizing.

**F 80 English Morello**—Last cherry to ripen, 2 weeks after Montmorency. Fruit is large, almost black when fully ripe, sprightly acid. Bears very young and heavily. Self-pollenizing.

Early  
Richmond

Kansas  
Sweet

### CHERRY SPECIAL

1 Kansas Sweet  
1 Montmorency  
1 Meteor

FF 86A All 3 for only \$5.95

Not Postpaid (\$7.45 value)

Our largest, Specimen trees

FF 86 All 3 for only \$3.95  
3 to 4 foot trees, Postpaid

Meteor





Montmorency  
Cherry

Inter-State is doing more basic research in the production of Dwarf Fruit Trees than any other nursery in America. **These Dwarf Fruit Trees are becoming tremendously popular simply because their small size makes it possible for millions now to grow their own delicious home-grown fruit even if their yard is small.** Orchardists are also planting them because they bear younger, are so easy to take care of, and their fruit is larger. See page 20 for Dwarf Apple Trees.

## Dwarf Cherry Trees

Allow these Dwarf Cherries to grow branched low to the ground, giving you more fruit. The trees themselves are shapely with good foliage, flowers and fruit, attractive enough to plant anywhere. Plant 6 to 8 feet apart.

**D 56 Montmorency**—A real Montmorency but when fully grown will be less than half normal size. Bears very young, generally next year after planting. Fruit is larger, rich red color, fine flavor, tender, firm, a marvelous cherry. We know of no other nursery growing a real dwarf Montmorency like this. Self-pollenizing.

4 to 5 feet, Postpaid..... **Each \$3.95**  
3 to 4 feet, Postpaid..... **Each 3.25**

**D 57 North Star**—This new Cherry was originated by the Minnesota Fruit Breeding Farm. The original tree is little more than 8 feet tall now and bears well and regularly. The fruit is large, dark red, sprightly flavor. Expert pie bakers say this makes the most wonderful cherry pies. Bears young and heavily. Self-pollenizing.

4 to 5 feet, Postpaid..... **Each \$2.95**  
3 to 4 feet, Postpaid..... **Each 2.45**

**1 Montmorency                      1 North Star**

**DD 22A Both for \$5.45, 4 to 5 feet, Postpaid**

**DD 22 Both for \$4.25, 3 to 4 feet, Postpaid**

### DWARF FRUIT TREE SPECIAL

**1 Dwarf Montmorency Cherry**

**1 Dwarf Sungold Peach**

**1 Dwarf Golden Giant Apricot**

**1 Dwarf Stanley Plum**

**1 Dwarf Solid Red Delicious Apple, page 20**

**DD 23A All 5 for only \$12.95 Not Postpaid**

**Our largest trees. Value \$16.75**

**DD 23 All 5 for only \$9.95 Postpaid**

**3 to 4 feet. Value \$13.35**

Maxine  
Pear



## Dwarf Pear Trees

They grow scarcely taller than your head, except Bartlett is taller. Fruits are larger. Bear very young. Plant 2 varieties so they can cross-pollinate and thus produce more fruit. Plant 8 to 10 feet apart.

4 to 5 feet, Postpaid..... **Each \$3.45, 2 for \$6.45**

3 to 4 feet, Postpaid..... **Each 2.95, 2 for 5.35**

### YOUR CHOICE OF FOLLOWING VARIETIES

**D 84 Bartlett**—The favorite summer pear.

**D 85 Duchess**—Giant size, tender, juicy, early fall.

**D 88 Maxine**—Large size, beautiful golden-yellow pear with delicious flavor. Bears young, heavily and regularly. Most blight resistant variety we know.

**DD 89A 1 Each of All 3 Above Pears for \$8.95**

**4 to 5 feet, Postpaid**

**DD 89 1 Each of All 3 Above Pears for \$7.45**

**3 to 4 feet, Postpaid**



# SELECTION OF Dwarf Fruit Trees

LARGER FRUIT • BEAR YOUNG  
EASY-TO-PICK

## Dwarf Apricot Trees

These are like the Apricots on page 20 but grow only one-half as large. The fruit is just as large or even larger. The trees bear young and bear heavily. Plant 10 feet apart.

4 to 5 feet, Postpaid.....	Each \$2.95
3 to 4 feet, Postpaid.....	Each 2.45
2 to 3 feet, Postpaid.....	Each 1.95

### YOUR CHOICE OF FOLLOWING VARIETIES

**D 51 Golden Giant** (P.P. 1053)—Immense size, golden-orange fruit of delicious flavor.

**D 52 Hungarian**—Large fruit of highest quality.

**D 54 Superb**—Fruit is medium large, golden-orange, juicy and highest quality.

DD 55 1 Each of All 3 Above Apricots

All 3 for \$6.95 4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid



Golden Giant  
Apricot



Sungold  
Peach

## Dwarf Peach Trees

These are like the regular Peaches except they are grown on a special root which makes a dwarf tree, about half the normal size. The fruits are as large or even larger than the regular trees. They bear young. Self-pollenizing. Plant 10 feet apart.

Select Specimen Trees, Not Postpaid...	Each \$2.95
4 to 5 feet, Postpaid.....	Each 2.45
3 to 4 feet, Postpaid.....	Each 1.95

### YOUR CHOICE OF FOLLOWING VARIETIES

**D 73 Elberta**—America's most popular peach. Large, yellow free-stone fruit of highest quality.

**D 70 Polly**—Huge, free-stone, the finest quality white Peach.

**D 71 Red Haven**—The leading early yellow peach. The flesh is firm, delicious, free-stone, excellent quality.

**D 72 Sungold**—We rate this our finest Peach. Huge, free-stone and exceptional quality. Hardest yellow Peach.

DD 77A	1 Polly	1 Red Haven	1 Sungold
All 3 for \$6.95	Specimen Trees, Not Postpaid		

DD 77	1 Polly	1 Red Haven	1 Sungold
All 3 for \$4.75	3 to 4 feet, Postpaid		

## Dwarf Plum Trees

Grow less than half normal size. Often start bearing next year after planting. Larger fruits. Self-pollenizing but will produce more if 2 varieties are planted so they can cross-pollenize. Plant 8 feet apart.

4 to 5 feet, Postpaid.....	Each \$2.95
3 to 4 feet, Postpaid.....	Each 2.45

### YOUR CHOICE OF FOLLOWING VARIETIES

**D 62 Stanley**—America's most popular Plum. Large, dark blue, free-stone prune Plum.

**D 63 Superior**—Very large, delicious red fruits. Tremendous, regular bearer. Fine pollinizer.

**D 64 Premier**—One of the largest of all Plums. Bright red with juicy yellow flesh.

DD 69 1 Stanley, 1 Superior, 1 Premier
All 3 for \$6.95 4 to 5 feet, Postpaid



Superior  
Plum

Stanley  
Plum



# Dwarf Apple Trees LARGER FRUIT, EASY-TO-PICK, BEAR YOUNG

These Dwarfs produce larger fruits than the regular apple trees. Start bearing very young, often a year or two after planting. You can pick most of the fruit from the ground because they grow scarcely larger than a big shrub. Ornamental and fruitful, you can grow your own apples even if your yard is small. Plant 8 to 12 feet apart.

Bright Red  
Jonathan

- D 7 **Early Red Bird**, best red early summer apple.
- D 1 **Lodi** (Improved Yellow Transparent), best yellow summer apple.
- D 9 **Beacon** (Improved Duchess), best red apple for August.
- D 15 **Mann's Giant**, Huge size, good quality fall apple. Fine for pies.
- D 12 **Red Melba**, new, rich-flavored, red fall apple.
- D 11 **McIntosh, Solid Red**, high quality red apple.
- D 8 **Yellow Delicious**, America's favorite yellow apple.
- D 3 **Jonadel**, New, created by Iowa State College, a cross of Red Delicious and Jonathan. A luscious, bright red early winter apple.
- D 4 **Solid Red Delicious**, America's favorite red apple.
- D 5 **Bright Red Jonathan**, the midwest's favorite red apple.
- D 14 **Winesap**, most popular long-keeping red winter apple.

## Your Choice of These 11 Varieties

	Each	3 for
3-Year, Select Specimen Trees, Not Postpaid.	\$3.95	\$9.95
3-Year, 5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid.....	3.65	8.95
2-Year, 3 to 5 feet, Postpaid.....	3.25	7.95

## DWARF APPLE SPECIAL

**1 Bright Red Jonathan 1 Solid Red Delicious**  
**1 Lodi** (Improved Yellow Transparent)

**DD 24A All 3 for \$9.75 Not Postpaid**  
3-Year, Select Specimen Size Trees

**DD 24 All 3 for \$7.75 Postpaid**  
2-Year, 3 to 5 feet size Trees

Solid Red  
Delicious

Lodi  
(Improved  
Yellow Transparent)

## 3-IN-1 DWARF APPLE TREE

D 17 This Dwarf apple has three different varieties, all on one tree.

**Lodi** (Imp. Yellow Transparent)

**Bright Red Jonathan**

**Solid Red Delicious**

3-Year, Select Specimen Trees, Not Postpaid.....Each \$5.00

3-Year, 5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid.....Each 4.35

3-Year, 3 to 5 feet, Postpaid.....Each 3.65



Dwarf Apple



# Plant Summer, Fall, Winter Apples

FOR FRESH APPLES, ALMOST THE YEAR 'ROUND

## PRICES ON APPLES, Your Choice of Varieties, Alike or Assorted (Except, Jonadel, 6-in-1 and 5-in-1)

	Each	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
<b>Specimens, Not Postpaid</b> .....	<b>\$2.25</b>	<b>\$6.45</b>	<b>\$11.95</b>	<b>\$22.95</b>	<b>\$43.50</b>
<b>5 to 7 feet, Not Postpaid</b> .....	<b>1.95</b>	<b>5.45</b>	<b>10.45</b>	<b>19.50</b>	<b>37.50</b>
<b>4 to 6 feet, Postpaid</b> .....	<b>1.85</b>	<b>4.95</b>	<b>9.25</b>	<b>17.50</b>	<b>33.50</b>
<b>3 to 5 feet, Postpaid</b> .....	<b>1.50</b>	<b>4.25</b>	<b>7.95</b>	<b>14.95</b>	<b>28.50</b>

### SUMMER APPLES

**F 31 Anoka**—Generally bears next year after planting. Fruit is yellow streaked red.

**F 32 Beacon**—The fruit is large, a solid bright red of very fine quality. It ripens in August.

**F 35 Early Red Bird**—The best early red apple we know. Large, bright red, good quality.

**F 37 Lodi (Improved Yellow Transparent)**—The favorite early yellow apple. Ripens in July. Fruit is large, tender, juicy, fine flavor.

**F 33 Red June**—Red, early summer apple.

### FALL APPLES

**F 54 Mann's Giant**—The largest apple we have seen, up to 14 ounces each. Red streaked, good quality, fine for sauce or pies.

**F 34 Maiden Blush**—Yellow with blush. Fine for eating fresh or makes fine pies.

**F 41 Red Melba**—The most attractive Apple you ever saw, red with pink blush, with the finest, richest flavor you ever tasted.

**F 42 Wealthy**—The most popular fall apple. It ripens in September but can be used weeks earlier. Large, red striped, juicy, fine quality.

### APPLE SPECIAL

**1 Lodi (Improved Yellow Transparent), Summer**

**1 Solid Red Delicious, early winter**

**1 Bright Red Jonathan, winter**

**1 Jonadel, early winter**

**1 Winesap, all winter**

**FF 68A Specimen trees**

**All 5 for \$8.95 Not Postpaid**

**FF 68 3 to 5 feet**

**All 5 for \$5.95 Postpaid**

### WINTER APPLES

**F 36 Delcon**—Looks like Red Delicious and tastes even better. A natural semi-dwarf tree.

**F 48 Grimes Golden**—Very popular yellow apple. The fruit is large and highest quality.

**F 49 Hawkeye Greening**—An attractive greenish-yellow, large size, good quality. Good fresh from the tree and good in winter.

**F 52 Jonathan, New Bright Red**—One of America's greatest apples. A deep red apple of highest quality with crisp, tender flesh.

**F 53 McIntosh, Solid Red**—Large, red apple. Flesh snow-white of high quality.

**F 57 Red Rome Beauty**—Large, red apple especially fine for baked apples and pies.

**F 60 Solid Red Delicious**—The finest of all red apples. It bears younger, keeps longer and the fruit colors earlier than the common Red Delicious. Large, solid red, delicious flavor.

**F 64 Winesap**—The most popular long keeping winter apple. An improved strain with better color and larger size.

**F 66 Yellow Delicious**—The most popular yellow apple. Bears young and heavily. Fruit is large, juicy, fine flavor.

**F 67 York Imperial**—A large red apple that keeps all winter. Good quality.

### CRAB APPLES

**F 61 Centennial**—is the finest dual-purpose crab in America. The tree is covered with lovely snow-white flowers in the spring followed by beautiful bright red fruit in late summer. And the apples are the best tasting, highest quality you ever tasted. Hardy.

**F 62 Dolgo**—Bright red fruit which makes fine jelly. Fine for pickling.

**F 65 Whitney**—You can eat it fresh just like an apple. Medium size, red striped.

## FARM HOME COLLECTION

Eight of our most popular varieties, giving you fresh apples almost the year 'round.

**1 Early Red Bird**

**1 Lodi (Improved Yellow Transparent)**

**1 Red Melba**

**1 Jonadel**

**FF 70A Specimen Trees**

**All 8 for \$12.95 Not Postpaid**

**FREE with each collection FF 70 or FF70A, 1 Centennial, sensational new dual-purpose crab apple.**

**1 Yellow Delicious**

**1 Solid Red Delicious**

**1 Jonathan, New Bright Red**

**1 Winesap**

**FF 70 Fine 3 to 5 Ft. Trees**

**All 8 for \$8.45 Postpaid**

*Jonadel, much larger than pictured*

## Jonadel New—Delicious

**F 46 Jonadel**—This sensational new apple, originated by Iowa State College, combines the rich flavor of Red Delicious with the juicy snap of Jonathan. Our most beautifully-colored apple, a brilliant crimson-red. Excellent for eating fresh, makes fine sauce and luscious pies. The large fruit has tender, white, juicy flesh that will make Jonadel a hit with all your family and friends. Ripens right after Red Delicious and keeps for weeks. Be sure to plant at least one tree this spring.

	Each	3 for
<b>Specimens, Not Postpaid</b> .....	<b>\$2.75</b>	<b>\$7.65</b>
<b>5 to 7 feet, Not Postpaid</b> .....	<b>2.35</b>	<b>6.45</b>
<b>4 to 6 feet, Postpaid</b> .....	<b>1.95</b>	<b>5.25</b>
<b>3 to 5 feet, Postpaid</b> .....	<b>1.65</b>	<b>4.45</b>

## 6-in-1 Apple Tree

**F 72** This 6-in-1 Apple Tree has six different kinds of apples, all on one tree. They are six of our best, most popular kinds, giving you fruit from early summer well into the winter.

**Lodi**, (Improved Yellow Transparent) summer.

**Red Melba**, for fall.

**Yellow Delicious**, for late fall.

**Solid Red Delicious**, for early winter.

**Bright Red Jonathan**, for the holidays.

**Winesap**, for winter.

Improved Yellow Transparent and Yellow Delicious start bearing young, followed by Red Melba and soon all are bearing, all on the same tree. This is the one tree for those who want several kinds of apples, but do not have much ground available. With its flowers, foliage, fruit, it is attractive enough to plant in front yard.

**Specimen Trees, 6 to 8 feet tall**

**Each \$4.75, Not Postpaid**

**Big 3-Year Trees, 5 to 7 feet tall**

**Each \$3.95, Not Postpaid**

## 5-in-1 APPLE TREE

**F 75** This is exactly like the 6-in-1 except it has 5 varieties instead of 6. It has Lodi (Imp. Yellow Transparent), Red Melba, Yellow Delicious, Solid Red Delicious and bright Red Jonathan.

**Big 3-Year Trees, 5 to 7 feet tall**

**Each \$3.35, Not Postpaid**



# Plant Inter-State's Luscious, Tasty Peaches this Spring

## PEACH SPECIAL

One each of all 14 varieties (including Nectarine), giving you fruit July to September. Our largest, Specimen Size, quick bearing trees often start bearing year after planting.

FF 18 All 14 for **\$18.95** Not Postpaid (\$25.10 value)

Big 3 to 4 ft. trees that will quickly produce a lot of fruit for only a few dollars.

FF 19 All 14 for **\$11.95** Postpaid (\$17.40 value)

## HOME PEACH SPECIAL

1 Sungold 1 Polly 1 Hale Haven  
FF 21 All 3 for **\$5.95**, Specimen, Not Postpaid  
FF 20 All 3 for **\$3.95**, 3 to 4 feet, Postpaid

Sungold

## ALL SEASON PEACH COLLECTION

Fresh, tree-ripened Peaches for many weeks—and plenty to can—for the cost of 2 bushels of peaches. Specimen size trees worth \$11.75.

1 Red Haven  
1 Hale Haven  
1 J. H. Hale

1 Elberta  
1 Polly  
1 Sungold

FF 16 All 6 for **\$9.95** Specimen Trees Not Postpaid

FF 17 All 6 for **\$6.45** Postpaid (\$7.95 Value)  
Good 3 to 4 foot Trees

They bear young and heavily. All are budded from bearing true-to-name varieties.

The peaches are listed in their order of ripening. Sunhaven ripens here in mid-July, J. H. Hale in late August. Peaches need but little room, easy to grow. Our Iowa-grown, budded trees are hardy and bear young. Plant them 12 to 15 feet apart. All Inter-State Peaches except J. H. Hale are self-pollenizing.

## PRICES ON ALL PEACHES Your Choice, Alike or Assorted

	Each	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
<b>Specimens, Not Postpaid</b> . . . .	<b>\$2.35</b>	<b>\$6.45</b>	<b>\$11.75</b>	<b>\$21.50</b>	<b>\$41.50</b>
<b>4 to 5 feet, Postpaid</b> . . . . .	<b>1.95</b>	<b>5.45</b>	<b>9.95</b>	<b>18.95</b>	<b>36.50</b>
<b>3 to 4 feet, Postpaid</b> . . . . .	<b>1.50</b>	<b>4.25</b>	<b>7.95</b>	<b>14.95</b>	<b>28.50</b>

**F 8 Sunhaven**—A new hardy variety which ripens a week before Red Haven. Medium-large, golden-yellow with red blush fruit of excellent quality, nearly fuzzless. Can't be beat for those first early Peaches.

**F 14 Red Haven**—This new variety is the leading early yellow peach. The fruit is large, almost a solid red like a Jonathan apple. The yellow flesh is firm, sweetly delicious, high quality. Free-stone.

**F 11 Fairhaven**—Ripens a few days earlier than Hale Haven. Very productive, hardy, often bearing when other varieties do not. Fruit is large, yellow with red cheek. Flesh is yellow, firm and fine flavor. Free-stone.

**F 5 Champion**—Free-stone. Large creamy-white with red cheek. Flesh is white, juicy, sweet and highest quality. A heavy, regular bearer. Hardy.

**F 13 Richhaven**—Tremendous producer of large, attractive peaches of the very finest flavor. Fruit is yellow with blush, nearly fuzzless and firm yellow flesh. An outstanding new free-stone variety.

**F 9 Hale Haven**—Free-stone. This fine new peach is rapidly overtaking Elberta. A heavy producer of large, yellow peaches of high quality. Hardy.

**F 22 Sunapee**—An extremely hardy new variety which yields loads of delicious yellow Peaches. Free-stone. Firm, golden yellow flesh of high quality.

**F 15 Yellow Cling**—This is a new variety that we selected because the fruits were medium-large, just right for pickling whole and for canning. The yellow flesh is firm, very delicious flavor.

**F 6 Early Elberta**—Free-stone. Yellow with blush. Fruit is large, yellow flesh, firm, juicy, delicious. Hardy. Increasing rapidly in popularity.

**F 2 Polly**—Those who have tasted Polly say that it is the finest flavored peach they ever ate. The fruit is very large, blushed, free-stone. The flesh is white and has that real sweet delicious peach taste. For sauce you simply cannot equal its flavor. Also makes fine preserves.

**F 7 Elberta**—This is the most popular of all peaches. Large handsome fruit, yellow with blush. Flesh is yellow firm, good quality, free-stone.

**F 1 Sungold** (Sold Only by Inter-State Nurseries) is very large, free-stone, beautifully blushed. Flesh is firm, golden yellow, full of juice, fine quality. Extra good for canning. Heavy, regular bearer. Tree is well-branched, stocky, rather low-growing making it easier to care for and pick.

**F 10 J. H. Hale**—Free-stone. Very large, golden yellow, flushed red with fuzzless skin. Flesh is yellow, solid, tender, high quality. Plant with other varieties for pollenization to increase yield.

## YELLOW NECTARINE —The Fuzzless Peach

**F 120 Yellow Nectarine**—Delicious, medium-large fruit with true peach flavor. Smooth skin and NO FUZZ. Hardy, bears young and heavily. Ripens in August.

Same Prices As Peaches Above.





Golden Giant Apricot

## Big Delicious Apricots

Ripening right after cherries and before the peaches, apricots are one of the most delicious fruits especially when picked fully ripe. They are all free-stone, fine for eating fresh, sauce, preserves, pies and freezing. Plant 20 feet apart.

### Prices on All Apricots, Your Choice

	Each	3 for	6 for	12 for
5 to 7 feet, Not Postpaid . . . .	\$2.45	\$6.95	\$12.95	\$24.50
4 to 5 feet, Postpaid . . . . .	2.20	6.25	11.45	21.50
3 to 4 feet, Postpaid . . . . .	1.95	5.45	9.45	17.50

**F 25 Golden Giant** (Plant Patent No. 1,053). This is the finest Apricot we have ever seen. The size is immense, 2 inches across and over 2 inches long, even larger than pictured. The color itself is appetizing, golden-orange with a light blush. For flavor we simply tell you that it is the finest you ever ate, sweet, juicy, tender, delicious. Even if picked fairly green, it develops this fine flavor whereas ordinary apricots when picked green taste insipid. It is a tremendous bearer. Has missed only 2 crops in many years at Grand Junction, Colorado, the home of the originator, Dave Moore. It has borne there when all other varieties failed. It makes a large attractive tree so you can plant it in your yard if you are short of room. For eating fresh, for canning, for preserves, for freezing, GOLDEN GIANT is in a class by itself. In apricot fruit districts we recommend that orchardists try some. We believe they will find this is just what they have been looking for. Its huge size, attractive color, fine flavor top the market. Golden Giant is **SOLD ONLY BY INTER-STATE NURSERIES**. Order today to make sure that you get yours this spring.

**F 29 Hungarian**—Large fruit of the highest quality. Hardy and good bearer. We recommend this highly.

**F 26 Superb**—This fine variety originated in Kansas and has been largely planted in the middle west. Hardy, productive. Fruit is medium large, orange-yellow, flesh firm, high quality.

## Inter-State's Outstanding Plums

### BEAR YOUNG - BEAR HEAVILY - DELICIOUS

#### PLUM PRICES, Your Choice, alike or assorted

	Each	3 for	6 for
5 to 7 feet, Not Postpaid . . . .	\$1.95	\$5.45	\$9.95
4 to 6 feet, Postpaid . . . . .	1.65	4.65	8.45
3 to 4 feet, Postpaid . . . . .	1.35	3.85	6.95

**F 110 Allred**—Ornamental as well as fruitful. The tree, the foliage, the flowers, and the fruit are all purple-red. Hardy to Central Iowa.

**F 103 Green Gage**—The sweetest eating and canning plum, it is just full of sweet, sugary flavor. Large, greenish-yellow fruits, freely produced. Ripens in early September. Hardy to Central Iowa.

**F 109 Mt. Royal**—The hardiest European-type plum, it can be grown successfully even in the coldest states. The fruit is medium size, deep blue and freestone. Exceptionally high quality, the flesh is firm yet juicy. Fine for eating fresh and can't be beat for sauce.

**F 102 New Lantz**—This is an improved strain over the ordinary Damson. The blue plums are medium size of finest quality. Free-stone. A heavy regular bearer. Ripens in August. Hardy to northern Iowa.

**F 104 Pipestone**—The fruit is immense size, the largest plum we have ever grown, red with a golden blush. The flesh is yellow, juicy and excellent quality. Very hardy.

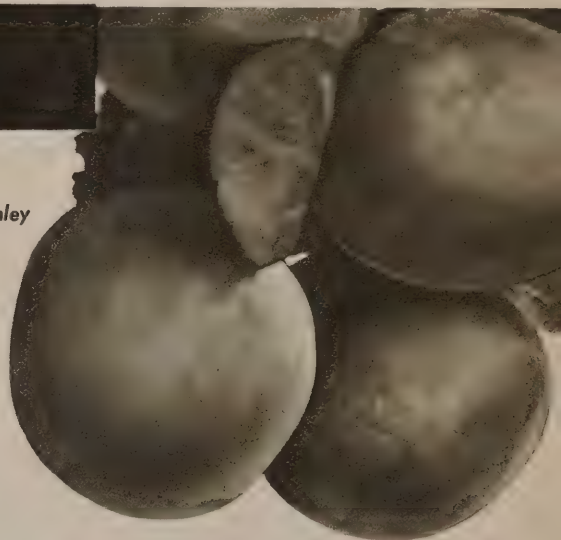
**F 113 Premier**—A new variety originated at Missouri Experiment Station. One of the largest of all Plums, as large as a medium-size apple, up to 2½ inches across. Bright red with firm, juicy yellow flesh. Ripens early August.

**F 107 Superior**—The fruit is large, attractive red color and a rich sweet flavor. It bears very heavily, every year. Ripens in early August. Very hardy. A good pollenizer for other plums.

**F 108 Toka**—The richest flavored of all plums—a sweet, somewhat spicy flavor. The fruit is quite large, a beautiful apricot color with very firm, yellow flesh. Ripens in August. Very hardy.

**F 114 Twilite**—Fruit is large, purple-red with firm red flesh of the highest quality. Perfectly hardy with us and a heavy, regular bearer.

Stanley



**F 106 Stanley**—This prune-plum is the most popular of all plums. Large, dark-blue, prune-shaped fruits. The rich yellow flesh is firm, sweet and delicious flavor. A heavy, regular bearer. Ripens in early September. Free-stone. Hardy up to central Iowa.

### INTER-STATE'S

## PLUM CLUSTER

Fine varieties that will supply plums for weeks. Some will start bearing second year after planting.

1 Green Gage  
1 Superior

1 Stanley  
1 Twilite

FF 100A All 4 for \$5.95 Not Postpaid  
Our largest 5 to 7-foot trees

FF 100 All 4 for \$3.95 3 to 4-Foot Postpaid



# DELICIOUS, EASY-TO-GROW PEARS

Pears grow in any ordinary soil, even in sod, right in your yard. Plant 20 feet apart. Two trees, alike or different varieties, planted near each other so they can cross-pollinize, will both produce more heavily than if planted alone. To tell when Pears are ready to pick, place the palm of your hand

under a Pear, raise it gently and if the stem snaps off easily from the limb, they are ready to pick. Then put them in a cool, dark place to ripen and you will have Pears of the highest quality.

## PRICES ON ALL PEARS, Alike or Assorted

	Each	3 for	6 for
<b>Specimen Size, Not Postpaid</b> ..	<b>\$2.35</b>	<b>\$6.45</b>	<b>\$11.95</b>
<b>5 to 7 feet, Not Postpaid</b> .....	<b>2.15</b>	<b>5.95</b>	<b>10.95</b>
<b>4 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid</b> .....	<b>1.95</b>	<b>5.25</b>	<b>9.65</b>
<b>3 to 4 feet, Postpaid</b> .....	<b>1.75</b>	<b>4.75</b>	<b>8.65</b>

## Maxine Large Size—Delicious Flavor Our Most Blight Resistant Pear

**F 91 Maxine**—This is by far the finest hardy pear ever created. It has everything a great pear should have—large size, beautiful golden-yellow color, rich delicious flavor even more luscious than the famous Bartlett and, most important of all, it is the most blight resistant variety we know. It has never shown any blight in our orchards when almost all other varieties have been damaged. We think Maxine will become even more popular than Bartlett when enough trees are available. The snow-white, juicy flesh simply melts in your mouth. Bears young, heavily and regularly, ripening in late summer. Plant several trees this spring.

**F 90 Bartlett**—Most popular summer pear. Fruit is large, juicy, sweet, high quality. Plant in poor ground where it is less likely to blight.

**F 93 Bierschmitt**—Blight resistant, heavy bearer. Fruit is large, yellow with bluish, delicious flavor.

**F 88 Cope's Seedless Pear**—A Pear That Has No Seeds and No Core. The fruit is large, tender and sweet, juicy and delicious. If there are other varieties close, then Cope's may have a few small, immature seeds.

**F 92 Kieffer**—The most widely planted winter Pear. Bears young and heavily. A healthy, hardy, vigorous grower.

**F 95 Patten**—Ripens in August. The fruit is large with luscious flavor.

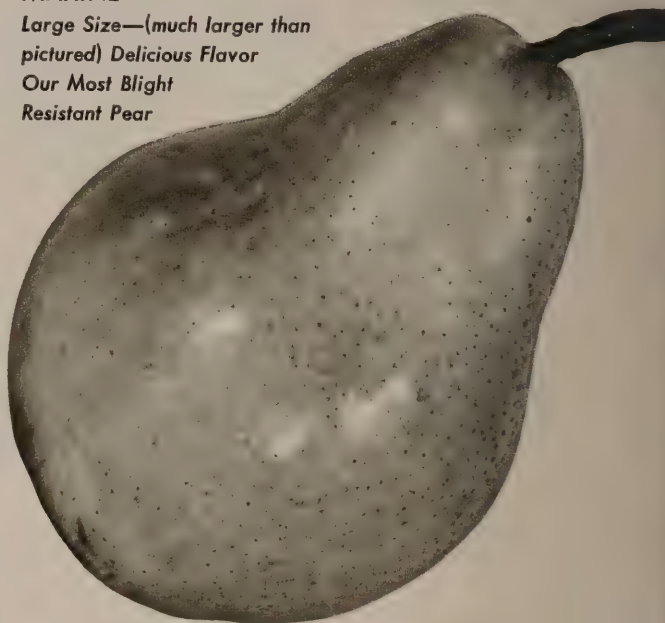
**F 96 Seckel**—Called the Sugar Pear because of its sweet, delicious flavor. Fruit is not large but the highest quality. Ripens in late summer.

### HOME PEAR SPECIAL

**1 Maxine                      1 Cope's Seedless                      1 Seckel**  
**FF 99A All 3 for only \$5.95 Not Postpaid**  
**Our Largest Specimen Size Trees**  
**FF 99 All 3 for only \$3.95, 3 to 4-foot Trees, Postpaid**

## MAXINE

Large Size—(much larger than pictured) Delicious Flavor  
 Our Most Blight  
 Resistant Pear



## HOME ORCHARD COLLECTION

*Home-grown Fruit Tastes Better and Saves Money*

1 Apple, Solid Red Delicious    1 Peach, Sungold  
 1 Apricot, Golden Giant        1 Pear, Maxine  
 1 Cherry, Montmorency        1 Prune-Plum, Stanley

**FF 116 All 6 for \$11.95, Not Postpaid**

Our Largest, Quick-Bearing Trees (worth \$14.00)

**FF 117 All 6 for \$7.95, Postpaid**

3 to 4-foot Size Trees (worth \$9.90)

**FREE—With Each Collection above we will include 1 Dwarf Jonathan Apple. See Page 20.**

Blueberries below, pictured 1/2 actual size



## NEW, IMPROVED Blueberries

These 3 new, improved blueberries are far superior to common varieties. They have larger fruit, bear more profusely, better flavor and the bushes are so attractive you can plant them in your front yard with regular shrubs. The white flowers are lovely in the spring followed by the beautiful blue, luscious fruit. The waxy rich green foliage colors red in the fall. Wonderful for eating fresh, for pies and freezing. We sell only the three varieties together so they can cross pollinize. This is an all season collection of varieties that start ripening in late June continuing through early August. Plant in a cluster, 4 to 6 feet apart. Branched 3-year old plants, almost 2 feet tall that will bear next year after planting.

Blueberries prefer an acid soil. You can make your soil acid by mixing peat moss (page 6) with your soil or watering with 1 tablespoon of Aluminum Sulphate (you can get at the local drug store or we'll send you one pound for 50c) per gallon of water when planting and again 2 or 3 times in the summer.

**1 Blueray, early    7 Jersey, mid-season    7 Coville, late**

**AA 56 One Each of All 3, All 3 for \$4.95 Postpaid**

**AA 57 Two Each of All 3, All 6 for \$8.95 Postpaid**



## Clematis, COLORFUL, EVERBLOOMING

Clematis are the most colorful and many people think them the most beautiful of all flowering vines. On a porch, pergola, trellis or fence, they are truly a gorgeous sight, so many lovely flowers of purple, white, pink, blue and red, all summer. A location shaded from the hot afternoon sun is ideal. Our potted, growing plants will bloom this summer. Very hardy. Postpaid.

**V6 Comtesse de Bouchaud**—Lovely large rosy-pink flowers for many weeks in late spring and summer. **Each \$1.25, 2 for \$2.25**

**V2 Henryi**—A chastely pure white flower of unrivaled charm. Immense size, often 7 inches across, and produced all summer. **Each \$1.25, 2 for \$2.25**

**V3 Jackmani**—When you see this plant, covered with hundreds of purple blooms, you will know why it is called the Queen of all Vines. The flowers are large, 4 to 6 inches across and produced freely all summer. The most colorful and attractive of all. **Each \$1.25, 2 for \$2.25**

**V23 Ernest Markham**—Striking, velvety red flowers produced profusely: June to October. The finest red Clematis. **Each \$1.25, 2 for \$2.25**

**V5 Ramona**—Large light blue flowers, June to October. **Each \$1.25, 2 for \$2.25**

**VV7 One Each of All 5 Above Clematis for \$4.75, Postpaid**

## GOLDEN CLEMATIS, Golden Flowers All Summer

**V8 Golden Clematis (Tangutica)**—A rare variety with lantern-like golden yellow flowers all summer. Then in the fall the vine is covered with feathery silvery plumes. Hardy, easy to grow, vigorous grower, 10 to 15 feet. Does best in full sun. Use on trellis, fence, porch, cave or rocks. Lives for years becoming more attractive each passing season. **Each \$1.95, Postpaid**

## WISTERIA VINES, Fragrant

Easy to grow from coast to coast excepting in the very coldest states. Long clusters of fragrant flowers in the spring. Our plants are grafted from blooming wood and start blooming much quicker than ordinary Wisteria.

**V12 Blue V14 Pink V15 Purple V16 White**

**Your Choice Heavy 2-Year Plants, Each \$1.45, Postpaid**

## SILVER LACE, Fastest Growing Hardy Vine

**V17 Silver Lace**—Often grows 10 to 12 feet the very first season. From mid-summer to late fall, completely covered with thousands of small white flowers. The foliage is glossy green. Ideal for porch, pergola, fence, stumps and banks. **Strong No. 1 Plants, Each \$1.00, 2 for \$1.85, Postpaid**

## BOSTON IVY Clings To Walls

**V18 Boston Ivy (Amp. Veitchi)**—Clings so closely to the walls, they seem to be shingled with leaves. Foliage colors a charming maroon in the fall. Clings without support to even the smoothest surface. Prefers north or east side. **2-Year No. 1 Vines, Each \$1.00, 2 for \$1.75, Postpaid**

Summer King Honeysuckle, below

## SUMMER KING HONEYSUCKLE

**Blooms All Summer**

**V9 (Heckrottii)**—From June until freezing, this magnificent plant is covered with showy clusters of large, fragrant flowers, rose-flame outside and gold inside. The attractive foliage, a rich blue-green, makes a perfect background for the brilliant flowers. Hardy, healthy, easy-to-grow. It can be used in so many places—porch, pergola, fence, fine for covering bank or cave, and especially beautiful for a trellis. **OUR PLANTS WILL BLOOM THIS SUMMER. Postpaid.**

**Heavy, 2-Year No. 1 Plants, Each 90c, 2 for \$1.50**

**Medium Plants, Each 75c, 2 for \$1.25**



Inset—Clematis Henryi

Clematis Jackmani

### CLEMATIS SPECIAL

**1 Jackmani 1 Henryi 1 Ernest Markham**

**VV1 All 3 for \$2.95, Postpaid**

## EUONYMUS VEGETUS, Stays Green All Winter

**V30 Euonymus Vegetus**—Stays green all winter. The only hardy vine we know that holds its glossy, rich green foliage all winter. Has scarlet berries for many weeks. A marvelous wall cover also fine for a ground cover as shown in picture. Grows in sun or shade. Grows rather slowly but every foot is attractive. Clings to anything.

**2-Year No. 1 Plants, Each \$1.45, Postpaid**



## BITTERSWEET

**New Sure-To-Fruit**

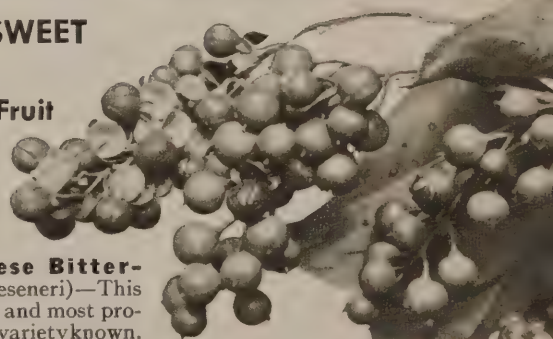
**V19 Chinese Bittersweet (Loeseneri)**—This is the surest and most prolific fruiting variety known.

The foliage is a rich, dark-green. Blooms in June. In autumn the clusters of attractive orange-scarlet berries are so thick they almost cover the entire vine. Just one plant will fruit. But if you plant two in the same hole or close together so they can cross-pollinate, they will bear still more. The berried branches make such fine fall and winter bouquets. Postpaid.

**Heavy 2-Year Plants . . . . . Each \$1.35, 2 for \$2.35**

**Medium 2-Year Plants . . . Each 1.00, 2 for 1.75**

**SEE PAGE 3 FOR FREE PREMIUMS.**





# HARDY HEDGES



Bridal Wreath, Above



Winter-Green Hedge, above

## HANDSOME Bridal Wreath

**H 3 Bridal Wreath** (Spirea Van Houtte)—This photograph shows the beauty of Bridal Wreath, America's most popular and widely planted untrimmed flowering hedge. Millions of small white blooms cover the gracefully arching branches, every spring, without fail. Requires no special care and lasts a lifetime. Perfectly hardy, grows everywhere, in full sun or partial shade. You see it all over America and everywhere it is attractive and thriving. Makes a marvelous natural hedge or screen 5 to 6 feet tall. Plant 2 to 3 feet apart.

	12 for	25 for	50 for	100 for
12 to 18 inches, Postpaid.	\$3.25	\$5.95	\$10.75	\$19.75
18 to 24 inches, Postpaid.	3.95	7.50	14.50	27.50
2 to 3 feet, Postpaid....	4.95	9.45	17.75	33.50

## AMAZING ROSA MULTIFLORA

**H 7 Rosa Multiflora Japonica**—The conservation people recommend this for a living hedge where you have plenty of room, for erosion control and an excellent wild life refuge. However, we do not advise using it on small city lots because when not trimmed it makes a bushy, thorny plant 6 to 8 feet tall and almost as wide. Other hedges are better if you want a trimmed hedge. Has white flowers in spring followed by red fruits which the birds like. Hardy up to central Iowa. Plant 18 to 24 inches apart.

Postpaid	Per 25	Per 50	Per 100	Per 250	Per 500
12 to 18 inches...	\$2.65	\$4.75	\$7.95	\$17.75	\$32.50
18 to 24 inches...	3.25	5.95	9.95	21.50	39.50

All Hedge Plants are shipped Postpaid and Trimmed ready for planting to give you better results.



Hardy Russian Privet, above

Chinese Elm Hedge, below



## Winter-Green The Perfect Hedge, Holds Foliage All Winter

**H 154 Winter-Green** (Euonymus Erecta, Small Leaf)—This shrub is very much like the Winter-Green pictured on Page 27. But its leaves are smaller and it grows hardly 3-feet tall and is almost as wide. Makes a very dense, bushy plant that makes an ideal hedge because it never needs to be trimmed. Also it holds its foliage all winter. At first the leaves are a rich deep green then gradually take on an attractive purple tinge. Thrives in sun, part shade and full shade. If you want a narrower or smaller hedge, just a trimming or two, a year, will give you exactly what you want. Plant 18 inches apart. The 18 to 24-inch are heavily branched, and will give you a good hedge effect when planted. Winter-Green gives you an evergreen hedge at a fraction of the cost of Evergreens.

	Postpaid	12 for	25 for	50 for	100 for
9 to 12 inches..	\$7.95	\$14.75	\$24.50	\$44.50	
12 to 18 inches..	9.95	17.75	32.50	59.50	
18 to 24 inches..	11.95	21.75	39.50	74.50	

**CLAVEY'S DWARF HONEYSUCKLE**  
A Perfect Hedge in Just One Year—See Page 34

## HARDY Privet HEDGE

**H 2 Hardy Russian Privet** (Amor River North)—Is by far the most popular hardy trimmed hedge in the northern states. It makes a permanent hedge, lasting for generations. Not only adds beauty, it also protects your yard especially if you have a corner lot. It is fine for a division line between yards. Can be trimmed to any desired height, making a thick, dense hedge, without thorns, right down to the ground. Requires trimming only twice during the summer. But if you trim it 3 or 4 times, it becomes more dense and bushy. Leaves are rich, dark green and hang on until very late fall. Plant 1 foot apart.

Postpaid	12 for	25 for	50 for	100 for	200 for
9 to 12 inches...	\$1.95	\$3.45	\$6.45	\$11.45	\$21.50
12 to 18 inches...	2.25	3.95	7.45	13.95	26.50
18 to 24 inches...	2.95	5.45	9.95	17.95	33.50
2 to 3 feet.....	3.75	6.95	12.95	23.50	43.50

**H 9 Tatarian Honeysuckle**—Thrives all over. Can be trimmed like a normal hedge. If not trimmed makes a magnificent, dense hedge screen 8 feet tall. Pink or creamy flowers in the spring, followed by bright red berries. Grows in full sun or part shade. Ideal for fast-growing flowering tall hedge or screen. Plant 12 inches apart for trimmed hedge, 2 to 3 feet apart if untrimmed.

	12 for	25 for	50 for	100 for
12 to 18 inches, Postpaid .	\$3.25	\$5.95	\$10.75	\$19.75
18 to 24 inches, Postpaid .	3.95	7.50	14.50	27.50
2 to 3 feet, Postpaid.....	4.95	9.45	17.75	33.50

## CHINESE ELM for Hedge or Windbreaks

**H 1 Chinese Elm**—Is America's fastest growing hedge, making a good showing in just a few months. It is the first to leaf out in the spring and one of the last to shed in the fall. You can trim to any desired height from 3 to 10 feet, as a hedge or tall screen. The more you trim it the more dense and compact it becomes. We recommend that after planting, you cut off nearly all the top, leaving only 5 to 6 inches above ground. This will make a bushier hedge. Plant 8 inches apart. Also makes a fine WINDBREAK—fast growing, drought resistant and economical. For windbreaks, plant 5 to 6 feet apart in 2, 3 or 4 rows with alternate spacing. Do not trim after planting.

Postpaid	12 for	25 for	50 for	100 for	200 for
9 to 12 inches.....	\$7.75	\$1.25	\$2.15	\$3.75	\$6.75
12 to 18 inches.....	1.00	1.75	2.95	4.95	8.75
18 to 24 inches.....	1.45	2.45	3.95	6.95	12.95
2 to 3 feet.....	1.95	3.45	5.95	9.95	17.95



# The Two Greatest Shrubs of the Century



**\$150 CARDINAL SHRUB** (Weigela Vanicek). Since we first called your attention to this unique new shrub, we have grown and sold nearly one million plants. It is rapidly becoming the most widely planted new hardy shrub in America. The reason is simply that it is truly All-American, thriving in the East, the West, the North (except coldest states), the South. Blooms spring, summer and fall. Plants set out this spring **WILL BLOOM THIS SEASON.**

We wish that you could see them blooming here. In May-June each one is simply covered from top to bottom with hundreds and hundreds of the lovely rosy-red flowers. They are trumpet-shaped, 1 to 1 1/4 inches across. After this first big display, there are some scattering blooms throughout the season. If you cut off sprays of flowers and use them for bouquets, the plant will flower even more freely than if you left them on.

At Hamburg, the Cardinal Shrub has withstood 15 below zero without injury. It is so easy to grow, not particular as to soil.

Thrives in full sun or part shade. Makes a shapely bush 6 feet or so tall with excellent foliage. It is the best hardy new shrub which we have ever tested. Also makes a fine untrimmed hedge. Just one in a neighborhood will make those who see it, want it. Look over your yard, whether large or small. You will find a spot where it will fit in. We ship them to you **POSTPAID**, trimmed ready for planting.

	Each	2 for	4 for
<b>Specimens, Postpaid.....</b>	<b>\$2.75</b>	<b>\$4.95</b>	<b>\$8.95</b>
<b>3 to 4 feet, Postpaid.....</b>	<b>2.45</b>	<b>4.45</b>	<b>7.95</b>
<b>2 to 3 feet, Postpaid.....</b>	<b>2.25</b>	<b>3.95</b>	<b>6.75</b>
<b>18 to 24 inches, Postpaid...</b>	<b>1.95</b>	<b>3.45</b>	<b>5.95</b>

## CARDINAL SPECIALS, Postpaid

SS 149 Select 2 to 3 foot shrubs **3 for \$5.45**

SS 149A Specimen shrubs **3 for \$6.75**

The Winter-Green below is growing in Manhattan, Kansas, a richer, brighter green than pictured

NEW, IMPROVED

## Winter-Green

Stays  
Green  
All Winter

**\$155 Winter-Green** (Euonymus Manhattan)—This is an improved selection of one of the most attractive and versatile of all shrubs. Brighter green foliage and it holds this rich green color through the winter far better than the regular Winter-Green. *The lustrous, glossy green leaves stay on all winter*, especially when planted in part or full shade. Makes a shapely bush 5 to 7 feet tall but can easily be trimmed to any desired height. Fine for foundation planting, as specimens, and a perfect background behind low shrubs, roses and perennials. Makes a wonderful hedge with its green foliage all through the winter. Thrives in sun or part shade, or even on the north side of house. Hardy here in southern Iowa but we do not advise planting farther north. Look over your yard and you will find spots where this shrub will help make your home more attractive. This fine shrub can be used instead of evergreens. Easier to grow, not as expensive, and grows faster. See Page 26 for Hedging Sizes.

Postpaid	Each	3 for	6 for	12 for
<b>18 to 24 inches.....</b>	<b>\$2.25</b>	<b>\$5.95</b>	<b>\$10.95</b>	<b>\$20.45</b>
<b>12 to 18 inches.....</b>	<b>1.85</b>	<b>4.95</b>	<b>8.95</b>	<b>16.45</b>
<b>9 to 12 inches.....</b>	<b>1.35</b>	<b>3.65</b>	<b>6.65</b>	<b>11.75</b>

**2 Winter-Green**      **2 Cardinal Shrub**  
**18 to 24 inches**      **2 to 3 feet**

**\$51 All 4 for \$6.95 Postpaid**







Royal Red

White King

Empire Blue

## THESE NEW *Summer Lilacs* BLOOM PROFUSELY AND CONTINUOUSLY

Four new Summer Lilacs (sometimes called Butterfly Bush or Buddleias), each the finest of its color. All bloom profusely and continuously from early summer to frost. No other shrub can compare with them for freedom of bloom. They make an attractive compact bush, 4 feet or so tall. The roots are hardy; the tops die down in winter, then come up again even more vigorously next spring. The lovely fragrant flowers are beautiful in the garden and fine for cutting. Plant in full sun or part shade. There is a place in every garden for these beautiful Summer Lilacs. Plant behind perennials and among shrubs. Strong, No. 1 field-grown plants. Postpaid.

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|---|--------------------|
| \$ 11 <b>Empire Blue</b> —Finest blue.....        | <b>Each \$1.00</b> |
| \$ 13 <b>Floralart</b> —Best orchid-lavender..... | <b>Each 1.00</b>   |
| \$ 14 <b>Royal Red</b> —Best red.....             | <b>Each 1.00</b>   |
| \$ 15 <b>White King</b> —Glistening white.....    | <b>Each 1.00</b>   |

**\$S 18 1 Each of all 4 for \$3.45 Postpaid**

### \$S 17 **SUMMER LILAC SPECIAL**

- 1 Royal Red  
1 Empire Blue  
1 White King**

**All 3 for \$2.75  
Postpaid**



Pink Flowering Almond

## Flowering Almonds

The Pink Flowering Almond, pictured above, is completely covered with bright, rosy-pink, very double flowers. The White Flowering Almond is very similar except the flowers are a pure snow-white. These Flowering Almonds bloom early, right after the Golden Bell. Makes a rounded bush 3 to 4 feet tall. Grows from coast to coast and Canada to the Gulf. Thrives in full sun or part shade. Our plants are grown on their own roots. This means extra vigor and also they will not produce "wild suckers."

### Your Choice of Colors

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|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| <b>\$ 2 PINK FLOWERING</b>     | <b>\$ 3 WHITE FLOWERING</b>      |
| 2 to 3 feet, Postpaid.....     | <b>Each \$1.35, 2 for \$2.45</b> |
| 18 to 24 inches, Postpaid..... | <b>Each 1.15, 2 for 1.95</b>     |
| 12 to 18 inches, Postpaid..... | <b>Each .90, 2 for 1.60</b>      |

**1 PINK AND 1 WHITE ALMOND 2 to 3 feet  
\$S 4 Both for \$1.95 Postpaid**

## *Golden Bell*, FORSYTHIA SPECTABILIS

BRIGHT YELLOW FLOWERS IN EARLY SPRING

\$ 44 Golden Bell is the first shrub to bloom in early spring. Its bright golden-yellow flowers light up the yard. Hardy, easy to grow, thrives in ordinary soil. Grows 6 to 8 feet tall in sun or part shade. Use as individual specimen, in group plantings or in a shrub border. Attractive all year with its lovely flowers, luxuriant foliage and pleasing light green bark during the winter. Postpaid.

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| <b>2 to 3 feet</b>               |  |
| <b>Each \$1.25, 3 for \$3.25</b> |  |
| <b>18 to 24 inches</b>           |  |
| <b>Each \$1.00, 3 for \$2.50</b> |  |
| <b>12 to 18 inches</b>           |  |
| <b>Each 75c, 3 for \$1.95</b>    |  |

Golden Bell, below





# LOVELY *Crape Myrtle* BLOOMS MIDSUMMER TO FROST

## CAPE MYRTLE SPECIAL

1 Hardy Pink } SS 31  
 1 Hardy Purple } All 3 for \$1.95  
 1 Hardy Red } Postpaid

The South's most beautiful shrub, can now be grown farther north by planting this hardier strain. However, we do not advise planting it north of southern Iowa. Grow it just like Everblooming Roses, giving winter protection by mounding up dirt before cold weather comes. It blooms on new growth so it does not matter if the old top is entirely killed. The flowers have lovely clear colors with a soft crepe-like texture. They bloom the first summer after planting. However, they have one peculiarity. They sometimes are slow to leaf out the first year. They stay dormant for several weeks and you wonder if they are dead. But after a while the leaves come out and they soon start blooming. The foliage is glossy deep green and it blooms in the hot summer months when flowers are so welcome.

**2 year, 18 to 24 inch Plants, Postpaid**

\$ 26 **Hardy Pink** ..... Each 85c  
 \$ 27 **Hardy Purple** ..... Each 85c  
 \$ 28 **Hardy Red** ..... Each 85c

**SEE PAGE 3  
 FOR FREE PREMIUMS**

Hardy Pink Crape Myrtle



Hardy Purple



Hardy Red

## THE *Sunshine* SHRUB

**\$ 48 Sunshine Shrub** (*Hypericum Kalmianum*). It makes a perfect mound, 2 to 3 feet tall and 3 feet wide, very dense and bushy. We call it the "Sunshine Shrub" because of the cheery brightness it brings to home plantings. The bright, golden-yellow flowers are produced all summer long. The bluish-green foliage is attractive in itself. It makes a perfect single specimen, a wonderful border or low hedge and is attractive in a group planting. Very easy to grow, not particular as to soil, grows in full sun or part shade, even in quite dry places where most shrubs will not live. In severe winters the tops will die down. Next spring just cut off the old tops and new growth will come up from the roots. Find a place in your yard where you can plant it this spring. You will be delighted at the beauty it will add to your home this summer. Postpaid.

**Select, No. 1 Plants, Each \$1.25, 3 for \$3.00**

The Sunshine Shrub, *Hypericum Kalmianum*



## COLOR SHRUB SPECIAL, Postpaid

**1 Royal Purple  
 Smoke Tree**  
 2 to 3 feet

**1 Cardinal Shrub,**  
 page 27, 2 to 3 feet

**1 Winter-Green,**  
 page 27, 18 to 24 inches

**All 3 for \$5.95**

Value \$7.45



Royal Purple Smoke Tree, above

## Royal Purple Smoke Tree

**\$ 40** For foliage and flowers this is the most striking shrub we have ever seen. The leaves are a rich purple and in mid-summer it is covered with huge masses of the feathery purple flowers, producing an effect unequalled by any other shrub. Grows 8 to 10 feet tall and 6 feet wide. Marvelous for background planting and as individual specimens. It has proven hardy with us but we do not advise planting north of central Iowa. Prefers a sunny location. Postpaid.

2 to 3 feet ..... Each \$2.95  
 18 to 24 inches ..... Each 2.45  
 12 to 18 inches ..... Each 2.00



NEW IMPROVED

# Azaleas

For the first time this spring we are able to offer you these new, improved Azaleas by name. Several years ago we asked our Azalea grower in Holland to increase production on these named varieties because our own tests here at Hamburg proved them to be superior to the common Azaleas. The flowers are brighter, larger and produced more profusely and the plants are more vigorous. We found that the Ghent Azaleas do equally as well as the Mollis. They bloom a little later and the flowers are larger and the colors more vivid. In May-June the flowers cover the bush giving a display of color unequalled by any other shrub. Prefers partial shade and a slightly acid soil. You can make your soil acid by mixing a liberal amount of peat moss (page 6) with the soil when planting or by watering with a tablespoon of aluminum sulphate or common sulphur per gallon of water several times during the summer. These fine plants are branched 10 to 18 inches tall and WILL BLOOM THIS SEASON. Postpaid.

## HARDY GHENT AZALEAS, Your Choice of Varieties

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|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| \$ 80 <b>Coccinea Speciosa</b> —red | \$ 81 <b>Fanny</b> —rose-pink    |
| \$ 82 <b>Nancy Waterer</b> —yellow  | \$ 83 <b>Pallas</b> —vivid flame |
| Each \$2.95    2 for \$4.95         |                                  |

## HARDY AZALEA MOLLIS, Your Choice of Varieties

- |                                      |                                  |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| \$ 84 <b>Dir. Moerlands</b> , yellow | \$ 86 <b>Lemonora</b> , pink     |
| \$ 85 <b>Koster's Brilliant Red</b>  | \$ 87 <b>Queen Emma</b> , orange |
| Each \$2.65    2 for \$4.45          |                                  |

\$ 25 Azaleas, Mixed Colors, Each \$2.25, 2 for \$3.95

Blue Hydrangea, below



Burning Bush, *Euonymus Alatus Compactus*, below



Ghent Azalea, *Coccinea Speciosa*, above

## Ghent Azalea Special

- 1 **Coccinea Speciosa**
- 1 **Fanny**
- 1 **Nancy Waterer**
- 1 **Pallas**

SS 89 All 4 for \$8.95 Postpaid

BEAUTIFUL  
NIKKO BLUE

# Blue Hydrangea

\$ 55 **Blue Hydrangea** has immense flower heads, often a foot across, that last for many weeks. In ordinary soil the flowers are pink. In acid soil, they are blue. You can make your soil acid by mixing in one half Peat Moss (see page 6). Or, you can water twice a month with a tablespoon of aluminum sulphate per gallon of water. You cannot get aluminum sulphate from your drug store.

Does best in partial or full shade, even on north side of house. Grows only 3 to 4 feet tall making a well rounded shrub just as wide. Where winter temperature goes below zero give protection by mounding up 10 to 12 inches of soil around the plant before severe freezing weather. We do not recommend planting north of central Iowa. Postpaid.

**Two-Year, Heavy Field-grown Plants..... Each \$1.95, 2 for \$3.55**

**Two-Year, Medium Field-grown Plants... Each 1.55, 2 for 2.75**

## SS 54 BLUE HYDRANGEA SPECIAL

- 1 **Blue Hydrangea**, 2-Year Heavy
- 1 **Burning Bush**, Specimen

**Both for \$4.45**  
Postpaid

COLOR  
CHANGING

# Burning Bush

\$ 32 **Euonymus, Alatus Compactus**—One of the most beautiful of all shrubs, becomes a different color with each season. Yellow flowers in May-June followed by red berries which are very attractive in late summer and fall. Through the summer the foliage is rich green. In the fall it colors brilliant coppery-crimson tinged rose. An unusual corky bark adds to the winter appearance of this marvelous shrub. Thrives from coast to coast, the Gulf to Canada. Makes a compact plant 4 to 5 feet tall and 4 feet wide. Fine for foundation planting or individual settings.

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|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| <b>Specimens, Postpaid .....</b>      | <b>Each \$3.45, 2 for \$6.35</b> |
| <b>18 to 24 inches, Postpaid.....</b> | <b>Each 2.95, 2 for 5.35</b>     |
| <b>12 to 18 inches, Postpaid.....</b> | <b>Each 2.65, 2 for 4.75</b>     |



FRAGRANT, COLORFUL

# French Lilacs

They bloom very young, just a year or two after planting. Grow 8 to 10 feet tall. We are propagating those kinds which we find best. We believe they are as fine plants as are grown. **All are own-root plants.**

## Make Your Own Selection At These Prices

	Each	2 for	4 for
2 to 3 feet, Postpaid.....	\$2.25	\$3.95	\$6.95
18 to 24 inches, Postpaid...	1.85	3.25	5.95
12 to 18 inches, Postpaid...	1.45	2.65	4.95

**\$ 69 Firmament**—One of the best blues. Huge trusses of delicate porcelain-blue completely cover the plant.

**\$ 67 Ludwig Spaeth**—For many years this has been and still is America's most popular purple. A grand sight every spring.

**\$ 63 Marechal Foch**—Huge trusses with large individual flowers of deep rosy-pink. Profuse bloomer. Highly rated.

**\$ 76 Monge**—A great favorite, the brightest red we have, a rich ruby-red that you spot as far as you can see.

**\$ 75 Mont Blanc**—All lilac judges agree this snow-white is one of the very best. Very free bloomer, large trusses.

**\$ 64 Paul Thirion**—Large trusses, free blooming, a beautiful tyrian rose. The highest rated of all magenta-colored lilacs. Outstanding in our trials every spring.

**\$ 74 Victor Lemoine**—The world's most famous lilac hybridizer selected this great variety to bear his own name. A profuse bloomer of large, lovely lilac-lavender-pink flowers. One of the best of all lilacs.

## SPRING LILAC SPECIAL

1 Red 1 Purple 1 Pink

**SS 93 All 3 for \$4.95, 2 to 3 feet, Postpaid**

**SS 94 All 3 for 3.95, 18 to 24 inches, Postpaid**

**SS 95 All 3 for 2.95, 12 to 18 inches, Postpaid**

Monge



## TREE LILAC (Amurensis)

**\$ 68** A versatile plant that can be grown as a small, ornamental tree, as a large shrub or a tall, flowering screen. Cut off the lower branches and it develops into a wonderful small tree, 12 to 15 feet tall. It blooms after the other lilacs are through. Big, showy panicles of ivory-white with bright yellow anthers. Postpaid.

	Each	3 for
4 to 5 feet.....	\$2.25	\$5.95
3 to 4 feet.....	1.85	4.95

# Hydrangea FOR SHADY SPOTS



Hydrangea P.G., White, Pink and Bronze

**\$ 60 Hydrangea P.G.**—This attractive shrub pictured above does well in the sun, in partial shade or even on the north side of the house. Grows 4 to 6 feet tall, blooming from mid-summer to frost, with giant cone-shaped flowers, white at first, then turn fascinating pink and bronze. Fine for cutting, lasting for weeks. Very hardy.

12 to 18 inches, Postpaid....	Each	\$1.00, 3 for	\$2.75
18 to 24 inches, Postpaid....	Each	1.25, 3 for	3.35
2 to 3 feet, Postpaid.....	Each	1.45, 3 for	3.95

All 3 of the Hydrangeas described on this page are very fine this spring. Heavy, strong tops with vigorous root systems assure excellent growth this year and for years to come. They are shipped to you postpaid and trimmed ready for planting.

## Hills of Snow Hydrangea

**\$ 59 Hydrangea, Hills of Snow**—A grand shrub for shady places, for foundation planting or borders. From June to August it is covered with large flowerheads of pure white, like huge snowballs. Makes a rounded compact bush 3 to 4 feet tall with large, attractive heart-shaped leaves. Perfectly hardy, thrives everywhere except the southern states. Postpaid.

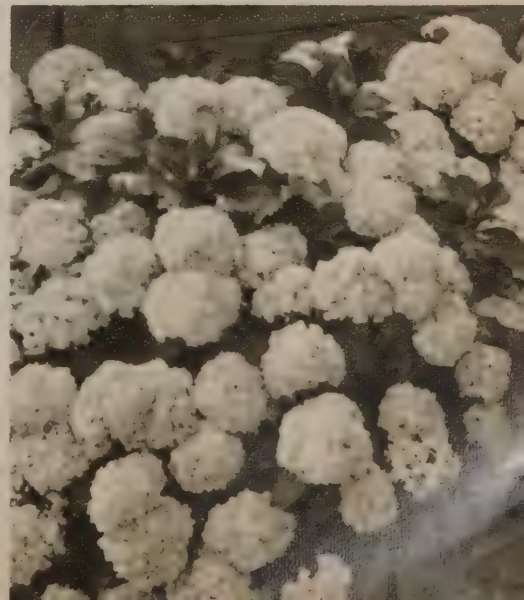
	Each	3 for
12 to 18 inches.....	\$1.00	\$2.75
18 to 24 inches.....	1.25	3.35
2 to 3 feet.....	1.45	3.95

## Oak Leaf Hydrangea

**\$ 57** An unusual shrub that is a joy to behold. In June it has panicles of white flowers often a foot long. The foliage resembles oak leaves and is attractive all season, especially so in the fall when it colors a glorious rich crimson. Makes a large spreading bush 5 to 6 feet tall and 6 to 8 feet wide at maturity. Does best in partial shade. Hardy to 10 below zero. Postpaid.

12 to 18 inches....	Each	\$1.15
18 to 24 inches....	Each	1.45
2 to 3 feet.....	Each	1.75

Hills of Snow Hydrangea, for the North Side, below





## SNOWY WHITE *Bridal Wreath*

**S 139 Bridal Wreath**, *Spirea Van Houtte*, is America's most widely planted shrub. A solid mass of snowy white blooms in the spring. Its graceful, curving branches add beauty in flower, in foliage and in winter. Plant it any place that you want a lovely hardy flowering shrub 5 to 6 feet tall and almost as wide. Fine for foundation planting, in groups, for screens or hedges and makes magnificent individual specimens. Thrives in sun or part shade, in any ordinary soil. More than any other shrub, it has helped to make America more beautiful.

	Each	3 for	6 for
3 to 4 feet, Postpaid.....	\$1.45	\$3.95	\$6.75
2 to 3 feet, Postpaid.....	1.15	2.95	4.95
18 to 24 inches, Postpaid.....	.85	1.95	3.45
12 to 18 inches, Postpaid.....	.65	1.45	2.45

### RED, WHITE AND BLUE SPIREA SPECIAL

1 White Bridal Wreath, 3 to 4 feet	} SS 140 All 3 for \$2.95 Postpaid
1 Red Spirea, 18 to 24 inches	
1 Blue Spirea, No. 1 Plant	

Snowy White Bridal Wreath (*Spirea Van Houtte*)

## Red Flowering Quince

**S 99 Red Flowering Quince** (*Japonica Rubra*). One of the most useful of all flowering shrubs. Makes a magnificent individual specimen, adds beauty to the shrub border or stands out as a background or screen. Grows 6 to 8 feet tall, simply covered with bright cheerful flowers in early spring. This is a selected strain, far superior to common Quince. Completely hardy.

	Each	3 for	6 for
2 to 3 feet, Postpaid.....	\$1.45	\$3.95	\$6.95
18 to 24 inches, Postpaid.....	1.15	2.95	4.95
12 to 18 inches, Postpaid.....	.85	1.95	3.45

## LOW-GROWING *Red Spirea*

### AT NEW LOW PRICES

**S 137 Red Spirea** (*Anthony Waterer*)—Pictured below, this is our most popular low-growing shrub, planted all over America. Makes a neat, rounded bush 2 to 3 feet tall. Rosy-red flowers cover the entire plant in the spring and blooms at intervals throughout the summer. Perfectly hardy, grows in sun or part shade, any ordinary soil. Excellent for foundation planting, for corners, in front of taller shrubs, as individual specimens. **Makes a low bushy hedge that requires no trimming.** In almost every yard there are places where Red Spirea will add permanent beauty.

POSTPAID	Each	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
18 to 24 inches.....	\$1.00	\$2.75	\$4.95	\$8.95	\$15.95
12 to 18 inches.....	.85	2.25	3.95	7.25	13.45
9 to 12 inches.....	.70	1.85	3.25	5.95	10.95

Red Spirea

Blooms  
All  
Summer



Blue Spirea, above

## MISTY *Blue Spirea*

**S 33 Blue Spirea** (*Caryopteris*, Blue Mist)—One of the most attractive low-growing shrubs. From August to frost every branch and every twig has many clusters of small, fringed powder-blue flowers giving a misty appearance. Makes a neat, compact rounded bush 2 feet tall, with narrow, silvery-green foliage. The roots are hardy but in northern states the top dies down like a perennial. Cut off the old tops in early spring and it comes up lovelier than ever.

**No. 1 Plants, Postpaid..... Each \$1.25, 3 for \$3.00**

## Colorado Dogwood

**S 34 Colorado Dogwood** (*Cornus Stol. Coloradensis*)—One of the very best native American shrubs. It makes a symmetrical shrub, 6 to 8 feet tall and 6 to 8 feet wide. Blooms at intervals all spring and summer, white flowers followed by white berries. Then in the fall the foliage turns maroon-red. In the winter the bark is a pleasing red. Perfectly hardy and easy to grow. Give it plenty of room as it will soon develop into a magnificent specimen. Makes a perfect screen.

2 to 3 feet, Postpaid.....	Each \$1.45, 2 for \$2.65
18 to 24 inches, Postpaid....	Each 1.25, 2 for 2.25



# Flowering Shrubs

## *Hypericum Henryi*

**Makes a Neat Shrub Covered With Golden-Yellow Flowers All Summer**

**S 49 Hypericum Henryi**—If this rare shrub just had a simpler name, it would rapidly become extremely popular. It makes such a neat, dense, rounded shrub 2 feet tall, perfect in shape. In the fall it colors gold and purplish-red and is always attractive right from the first leaf. It blooms from early summer to frost, bright yellow flowers, 2½ inches across. In cold states, the tops will die down over winter. In the spring you simply cut off the old tops and new growth comes up from the roots. We recommend this very highly as being one of the best low-growing shrubs. Grows in sun or part shade. Postpaid.

**12 to 18 inches..... Each \$1.50**



*Hypericum Henryi, above*

## *Althea*, DOUBLE ROSE OF SHARON

This fine shrub blooms mid-summer to frost when most other shrubs are through flowering. Makes a neat, upright shrub 6 to 8 feet tall, completely covered with large, double rose-like flowers. Ideal for screens, specimen planting or in the shrub border. These are our 3 most popular colors. The blue is actually a lovely lavender-purple.

### **Your Choice of Colors, Postpaid**

S 101 Red	S 102 Blue	S 103 White
2 to 3 feet.....	Each \$1.00, 3 for \$2.50	
18 to 24 inches.....	Each .80, 3 for 1.85	
12 to 18 inches.....	Each .60, 3 for 1.45	

**SS 105 One Each of All 3 Altheas Above for \$2.25**  
**2 to 3 feet, Postpaid**



*Virginal, Mock Orange, above*

## *Virginal* Fragrant Mock Orange

**S 165 Virginal** is the most popular Mock Orange. In May and June it is loaded down with semi-double pure snow-white flowers so fragrant they perfume the yard and a single branch will perfume a room. After this first great burst, there are scattering flowers all summer. Makes an upright bush 6 feet tall. Perfectly hardy, easy to grow, in full sun or part shade. Especially fine for group plantings. Thrives coast to coast.

2 to 3 feet, Postpaid.....	Each \$1.50, 2 for \$2.75
18 to 24 inches, Postpaid....	Each 1.25, 2 for 2.25
12 to 18 inches, Postpaid....	Each 1.00, 2 for 1.75

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## **POTENTILLA, GOLD DROP**

**S 170 Potentilla, Gold Drop** (Farreri). A rare and most attractive low-growing shrub. Extremely hardy, makes a compact bush 2 feet tall with small fern-like foliage. Blooms June to October, bright golden yellow flowers. Prefers full sun.

**12 to 15 inches, Postpaid..... Each \$1.50**

## **GRACEFUL** *Beauty Bush*

**S 8 Beauty Bush** (Kolkwitzia)—This hardy, long-lived shrub is superb in group plantings, as a specimen and for an untrimmed hedge or screen. In the spring the graceful arching branches are completely covered with lovely pink blossoms, delightfully fragrant. Grows 6 to 8 feet tall in ordinary soil in sun or part shade.

2 to 3 feet, Postpaid.....	Each \$1.25, 2 for \$2.25
18 to 24 inches, Postpaid.....	Each 1.00, 2 for 1.75
12 to 18 inches, Postpaid.....	Each .75, 2 for 1.25

## **FRAGRANT** *Pink Snowball*

**S 145 (Viburnum Carlesi)**. In spring this shapely shrub is completely covered with blooms so fragrant they perfume entire yard. Flowers open light pink, becoming white. A perfect shrub, 5 to 6 feet tall and just as wide. Deep green foliage colors bronzy-red in fall. Very hardy, grows in full sun or part shade. Planted from coast to coast. Makes a magnificent specimen and very attractive in any shrub planting.

**12 to 18 inches, Postpaid..... Each \$2.45**

*Pink Snowball, below*







Clavey's Dwarf Honeysuckle, above

## CLAVEY'S *Dwarf Honeysuckle*

### A PERFECT HEDGE IN JUST ONE YEAR

**H 52 Clavey's Dwarf Honeysuckle**—is particularly valuable as a low growing hedge. Plant them 18 inches apart this spring and **THIS SUMMER YOU WILL HAVE A HEDGE**. It makes a perfect hedge 3 feet tall and 3 feet wide that never needs to be trimmed. Or if you want a lower, narrower hedge, trim it just once a year at whatever height you wish. The picture shows what a bushy, attractive hedge it will make. In the spring it has small creamy flowers followed by red berries. Completely hardy.

	12 for	25 for	50 for	100 for
12 to 18 inches, Postpaid..	\$4.95	\$8.75	\$16.45	\$31.50
18 to 24 inches, Postpaid..	5.95	10.75	19.75	37.50
2 to 3 feet, Postpaid.....	6.95	12.75	23.50	42.50

**S 6 Mentorensis Barberry** (Improved Green Leaf)—This is by far the best green-leaved barberry. Thrives even in hot and dry locations. Holds its foliage late in the fall and is evergreen in the southern states. Makes a dense, upright plant about 4 feet tall, fine for specimen planting, foundation planting or hedges.

2 to 3 feet, Postpaid.....	Each \$1.35, 3 for \$3.25
18 to 24 inches, Postpaid.....	Each 1.00, 3 for 2.50

Fern-Leaf Euonymus, below



Jay Darling Flowering Crab, below



Lodense Privet, above

**H 15 Lodense Privet**—We recommend this as one of the very best low-growing hedges, perfect for walks, borders and especially around the low modern homes. It makes a perfect mound 3 feet tall and 3 feet wide or it can be trimmed shorter and narrower. The luxuriant rich green foliage stays on late in the fall, coloring reddish-purple.

	12 for	25 for	50 for
9 to 12 inches, Postpaid.....	\$4.95	\$8.75	\$16.45
12 to 18 inches, Postpaid.....	5.95	10.75	19.75

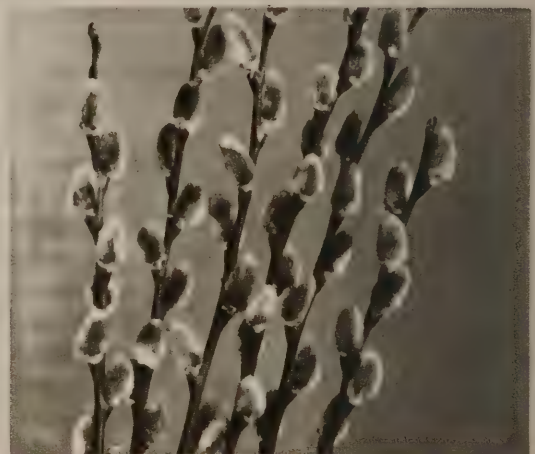
**S 7 Barberry, Red Leaf** is by far the most popular red leaved shrub in America. The foliage comes out a lustrous purple-red, becoming more brilliant in summer and in the fall turns a striking orange-scarlet. It has red berries which hang on nearly all winter. Makes a dense, compact shrub 3 to 4 feet tall.

	Each	3 for
2 to 3 feet, Postpaid.....	\$1.65	\$4.45
18 to 24 inches, Postpaid.....	1.35	3.65
12 to 18 inches, Postpaid.....	1.00	2.65

**S 156 French Pink Pussy Willow**—In early spring the large, (1 to 2 inches long) silvery-pink catkins unfold in all their charming beauty. This is an improved, superior variety which makes an attractive shrub 10 feet tall. Ideal for tall screens or backgrounds. Cut the ends of the branches in February and bring indoors for bouquets.

2 to 3 feet, Postpaid.....	Each \$1.95, 3 for \$4.95
18 to 24 inches, Postpaid.....	Each 1.45, 3 for 3.65
12 to 18 inches, Postpaid.....	Each 1.25, 3 for 2.95

Pussy Willow, below



## FERN-LEAF EUONYMUS

**S 39 Fern-Leaf Euonymus** (Turkestanica). Here is one of the most rare yet beautiful shrubs we have ever seen. It was first called to our attention in Morden, Manitoba, Canada, where it has been growing for many years. Perfectly hardy. The Fern-Leaf Euonymus can be used in the shrub border, foundation plantings or it makes an ideal individual specimen. The foliage stays on all year, changing from rich green to bronze-purple in late fall. And in late summer the seed pods color bright pink which gradually open showing the bright orange red fruits. Grows 4 to 6 feet tall. Postpaid.

	Each	2 for
2 to 3 feet.....	\$1.85	\$3.25
18 to 24 inches.....	1.45	2.45

## FLOWERING CRABS

**T 32 Jay Darling.** One of America's favorite flowering crabs. In spring, it is completely covered with fragrant, bright pink flowers, followed by clusters of red fruit. In the spring and early summer the foliage is a rich, deep maroon. The fruit makes wonderful jelly. Perfectly hardy, easy to grow, it thrives everywhere. Grows 15 feet tall.

**T 33 Purple Wave** (P.R.R.) is the most attractive low-growing Purple Leaf Ornamental Flowering Crab. All season the foliage is a glorious purple with copper undertone. Lovely fragrant flowers in early spring of rose-red, followed by red fruits in late summer. Grows 8 feet tall. Hardy.

### Your Choice 4 Flowering Crabs

5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each \$2.25
4 to 5 feet, Postpaid.....	Each 1.95
3 to 4 feet, Postpaid.....	Each 1.65

**T 43 Slender Siberian Flowering Crab** (Baccata). The finest tree we know for columnar planting. It makes a beautiful screen about 15 feet tall, white flowers in spring, golden fruits in summer.

**T 34 Van Eseltine Flowering Crab.** We believe this is the finest flowering crab with green foliage and pink flowers. Grows only 12 feet tall. In the spring it is covered with exquisite semi-double pink flowers, red in bud. Red fruits in late summer and fall.



# New Hamburg Hybrid Elm

**T 3 Hamburg Hybrid Elm.** This is an entirely new tree, a Hybrid Elm, the fastest growing tree we have. In just ordinary soil and under normal conditions, it grows 6 to 10 feet a year. It grows so rapidly that in just five years after planting, you will have a handsome shade tree. Neither winter's cold nor summer's heat bother it the slightest. And most important of all, it has proven to be absolutely immune to the phloem necrosis virus, the dreaded disease which is killing American Elm trees.

Makes a shapely tree with large, dark green leaves. Withstands very well wind and sleet storms. Perfectly hardy here. An amazingly rapid grower, there are countless thousands of homes where it will quickly bring shade and beauty, planted in the lawn or parking. This is a lasting investment, yet it brings quick returns. Plant this spring.

8 to 10 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each \$4.45, 2 for \$7.95
6 to 8 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each 3.85, 2 for 6.95
5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each 3.55, 2 for 6.35
4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each 3.25, 2 for 5.75

**T 17 Beatrice Locust, Thornless.** A magnificent tree, shaped very much like the American Elm, wide spreading at the top. It is the finest Thornless Honey Locust we have ever seen. Grows rapidly, does not sucker from the roots. Hardy, handsome, no thorns, easy to grow. Especially valuable for city planting as it withstands dust, disease, smoke and other difficult conditions. Foliage is feathery, fernlike, colors golden in the fall. Rarely sets seed.

6 to 8 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each \$3.50, 2 for \$6.50
5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each 2.85, 2 for 5.45
4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each 2.35, 2 for 4.25



New Fast-Growing Hamburg Hybrid Elm

## CHINESE ELM

**T 20 Chinese Elm.** Because of its extremely rapid growth, the Chinese Elm has become popular. Under ordinary conditions, it grows 5 feet a year. In just a few years, it makes excellent shade. It is very valuable for those sections of America where most other trees will not live or thrive, where it is hot and dry, even in alkali. But in those sections where Maples, Oaks, Locust and Elm are grown, we advise planting the Chinese Elm only for quick shade. There are hundreds of thousands of such homes, which would be more attractive if some of these quick-growing Chinese Elms were planted.

	Each	2 for	4 for
8 to 10 feet, Not Postpaid.....	\$3.25	\$5.95	\$10.95
6 to 8 feet, Not Postpaid.....	2.65	4.85	8.75
5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid.....	1.95	3.45	6.35

FOR CHINESE ELM WINDBREAKS, See Page 26

## CHRISTINE BUISMAN ELM

### New Disease Resistant Elm

**T 40 Elm, Christine Buisman.** This sensational new elm is highly resistant to the diseases which are killing so many of the beautiful American Elm trees. Tests by the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture prove that the Christine Buisman Elm is not affected by either the Dutch Elm disease or phloem necrosis. This is the tree you should plant instead of American Elm for the finest in large, permanent shade trees. It makes an attractive, shapely, well-branched tree. The foliage is a handsome, rich dark green and stays on until late in the fall. It grows almost as rapidly as the American Elm.

	Each	2 for
8 to 10 feet, Not Postpaid.....	\$4.95	\$8.95
6 to 8 feet, Not Postpaid.....	4.45	7.95
5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid.....	3.95	6.95

## ORNAMENTAL TREES FOR EVERY HOME

**T 2 Golden Chain Tree, Laburnum Vossii.** One of the rarest and most beautiful low-growing trees. In the spring it is filled with golden flowers, in graceful clusters 12 to 18 inches long. A sight that stops all who pass by. Here at Hamburg it must be planted in a spot protected from winter winds. So we do not advise planting it north of extreme southern Iowa. But East and South of us it will make your yard a center of attraction.

8 to 10 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each \$4.95
6 to 8 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each 4.45
5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each 3.95

**T 38 Golden Rain Tree (Koelreuteria).** Makes an attractive low-growing (25 to 30 feet) tree covered with bright yellow flowers in midsummer. The blooms are in upright clusters while the Golden Chain has hanging panicles of flowers. Hardy to southern Iowa.

5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each \$4.45
4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each 3.95

**T 12 Willow, Wisconsin Weeping.** The popular green-barked variety with graceful drooping branches. Grows rapidly.

**T 13 Willow, Niobe Weeping.** Its bark is golden-yellow both summer and winter, especially attractive in winter. Very hardy.

### Your Choice, Niobe or Wisconsin

6 to 8 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each \$2.00, 2 for \$3.80
5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each 1.50, 2 for 2.80
4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each 1.00, 2 for 1.80

**T 46 Daddsi Hawthorn (Crataegus).** White blooms cover the tree in spring. In late summer and early fall it is a gorgeous sight with brilliant, cranberry-red berries hanging in clusters. Makes a shapely tree 10 to 15 feet tall with luxuriant dark green foliage. Perfectly hardy and resistant to rust. Plant this in place of Hollies.

4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each \$1.95
3 to 4 feet, Postpaid.....	Each 1.65

**T 45 Mountain Ash.** Especially attractive in late summer and fall with clusters of red berries. White flowers in the spring. Grows only 20 to 25 feet tall. Hardy, do well everywhere except southern states.

6 to 8 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each \$2.95
5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each 2.45

**T 44 Amur Maple (Ginnala).** If you want brilliant fall coloring of the Sugar Maple but have room for only a small tree, plant Amur Maple. Grows only 15 feet tall, fine for a large shrub or low-growing ornamental tree. Lustrous green foliage in summer becoming brilliant red in fall. Cream-colored flowers in May, red fruits in early fall.

3 to 4 feet, Postpaid.....	Each \$2.75
2 to 3 feet, Postpaid.....	Each 2.25

**T 16 Lombardy Poplar (Theves)** grows rapidly and makes a tall very narrow tree. Used for tall screens and background. Plant 6 feet apart. This is the improved, hardy Theves strain.

8 to 10 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each \$1.85, 4 for \$6.45, 8 for \$11.95
6 to 8 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each 1.45, 4 for 4.95, 8 for 8.95
5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid.....	Each 1.00, 4 for 3.25, 8 for 5.95





Silver Birch, above

## Silver Birch Beautiful Yellow Fall Foliage

**T 14 Silver Birch** (Cut Leaf Weeping Birch)—The gleaming white bark and graceful drooping branches with delicately cut leaves, give a striking beauty, summer and winter, unmatched by any other ornamental tree. Grass grows right up to the trunk. The white bark comes a year or two after planting. Does best in the northern, central and eastern states. A single specimen or a group adds distinction to a lawn.

	Each	2 for
8 to 10 feet, Not Postpaid	\$4.95	\$8.95
6 to 8 feet, Not Postpaid	4.25	7.75
5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid	3.25	5.95
4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid	2.75	4.95

Sugar Maple, below



## Hardest Magnolia AMERICA'S FAVORITE FLOWERING TREE →

**T 18 Magnolia, Soulangeana**—This is the hardest Magnolia and many consider it the most beautiful of all flowering trees. One of the first trees to bloom in early spring. The blossoms are very large, often 8 inches across, purple-pink on the outside and white on the inside. Grows 15 to 18 feet tall and often blooms the same year planted. There are several fine specimens in Hamburg but we think this is the northern limit.

4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid	Each \$5.95, 2 for \$10.95
3 to 4 feet, Postpaid	Each 4.95, 2 for 8.95
2 to 3 feet, Postpaid	Each 3.95, 2 for 6.95

## Pin Oak THE MOST MAJESTIC OF SHADE TREES, Pictured on page 37

**T 11** Everybody thinks the Oak is a grand tree. Now we are offering Pin Oak, the finest of all Oaks, at special prices. Careful records have shown that the Pin Oak, the fastest growing of all the Oaks, actually grows almost as fast as the American Elm. It is one of the most enduring of all trees. A tree planted now will be a great pleasure to you and for generations to come. For street and lawn planting it has no equal. It grows in symmetrical, pyramidal form and at maturity towers 60 feet high. The rich green foliage is deeply cut and colors to a glorious coppery-red in the fall. A sturdy, rugged grower, it adapts itself to all locations and is not bothered by insects.

8 to 10 feet, Not Postpaid	Each \$5.95, 2 for \$10.95
6 to 8 feet, Not Postpaid	Each 4.95, 2 for 9.45
5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid	Each 4.45, 2 for 8.45
4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid	Each 3.95, 2 for 7.45

## Scarlet Maple BRILLIANT FALL COLORING, Pictured on page 37

**T 10 Scarlet Maple** (Rubrum). In the fall, this is gorgeously colored. The leaves are a brilliant rosy-scarlet, much brighter than pictured here. In the spring, the tree is full of scarlet flowers followed by bright red seed. The spring and summer foliage is also attractive, deep green above and blue-green below. Makes a large, shapely, long-lived tree that is not so dense but grass grows underneath. Very valuable for lawn and parking. Grows from the gulf to Minnesota, Coast to Coast.

6 to 8 feet, Not Postpaid	Each \$5.95, 2 for \$10.95
5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid	Each 4.95, 2 for 8.95
4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid	Each 3.95, 2 for 6.95

## Radiant AMERICA'S FINEST FLOWERING CRAB, Pictured on page 37

**T 37 Radiant Flowering Crab.** The name is perfect for this great new flowering crab as it literally radiates beauty from any landscape planting. Radiant in flower, Radiant in foliage, Radiant in fruit. Its all-season beauty makes it superb for background planting in the garden, as an accent point in the shrub border or as an individual lawn specimen. Wherever you plant it, you will be delighted with its charm and loveliness.

Radiant bursts into bloom in early spring with a refreshing cheerfulness that only spring flowers have. The bright rosy-red flowers are followed by crimson-red fruit in mid-summer, so brilliantly-colored and long-lasting that you actually have two "colorful" seasons from one tree. Add the ideal shape and the handsome foliage and you have the perfect ornamental, flowering tree for every home in America. The new foliage is purple-red, becoming rich green.

Radiant was created by the University of Minnesota, origin of many of the country's finest horticultural developments. Perfectly hardy, easy to grow and early flowering as it usually blooms the first or second year after planting. Grows 12 to 15 feet tall.

6 to 8 feet, Not Postpaid	Each \$3.95, 2 for \$5.95
5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid	Each 3.45, 2 for 4.95
4 to 5 feet, Postpaid	Each 2.95, 2 for 3.95

## Sugar Maple ORANGE, GOLD AND SCARLET FALL FOLIAGE

**T 6** The Sugar Maple (also called Hard Maple) is native to almost every state east of the Rockies excepting the gulf states. It is a permanent tree that lasts for generations. There are many homes in America which are identified by their magnificent Sugar Maples. Our trees are the northern. This strain colors more attractively in the fall when its luxuriant foliage is marvelous with tints of orange, gold and scarlet. It makes a large, spreading, perfectly formed tree, of which you will be proud.

6 to 8 feet, Not Postpaid	Each \$5.45, 2 for \$10.45
5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid	Each 4.95, 2 for 9.45
4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid	Each 4.25, 2 for 7.95



BEAUTY AND COMFORT

MAGNOLIA SPECIAL

- |                 |                |
|-----------------|----------------|
| 1 Magnolia      | 1 Pin Oak      |
| 4 to 5 feet     | 8 to 10 feet   |
| 1 Scarlet Maple | 1 Radiant Crab |
| 6 to 8 feet     | 6 to 8 feet    |

TT 19 All 4 for only \$15.95 Not Postpaid  
*Value \$21.80, You Save \$5.85*



Majestic  
Pin Oak  
→



PIN OAK SPECIAL

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 Pin Oak                                     | 1 Scarlet Maple |
| 8 to 10 feet                                  | 6 to 8 feet     |
| 1 White Clump Birch, 5 to 6 feet, see page 38 |                 |

TT 36 All 3 for only \$12.95 Not Postpaid  
*Value \$17.35, You Save \$4.40*

Hardest  
Magnolia  
(Soulangeana)  
←



Scarlet Maple  
for brilliant  
fall coloring  
←



Radiant  
Flowering Crab  
tree, flowers  
and fruit  
→



# BEAUTIFUL *Trees* FOR YOUR HOME

## *New Sunburst® Thornless Locust*

**T 47 Sunburst Thornless Locust** (P.P. 1313). We know of no other ornamental shade tree that approaches its distinctive, unusual beauty. The branch tips of bright golden-yellow, shading to bronze at the ends, contrast perfectly with the rich green inner foliage to make it look like a flowering tree bursting with bloom. And, it keeps this lovely spring appearance all summer long.

Sunburst is not only ornamental but also makes a fine, medium-size shade tree, reaching 30 to 35 feet at maturity, perfect for low, modern homes. Ideal for lawn planting as its lovely lacy foliage allows grass to grow under it, even up to the trunk. Extremely hardy and easy to grow, it thrives in even the most difficult conditions of bad weather and drought and is also resistant to insects and diseases.

**5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid . Each \$5.95**

**4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid . Each 4.95**

**3 to 4 feet, Postpaid . . . . . Each 4.45**

## **White Clump Birch** *Nature at Its Finest*

**T 8 White Clump Birch** is a rare form, grown as a clump with 3 or more distinct trunks with only one root system. It gives a very attractive naturalistic effect to any yard. The bark turns white after 2 or 3 years and stays white winter and summer. The green foliage turns a pleasing yellow in the fall. Grows 25 to 30 feet tall and grass will grow right up to the trunks. Perfectly hardy, easy to grow, thrives everywhere except in the southern states.

**5 to 6 ft., Not Postpaid . Each \$5.45**

**4 to 5 ft., Not Postpaid . Each 4.45**

**3 to 4 ft., Postpaid . . . . . Each 3.95**



*White Clump Birch, above*



*New: Sunburst Thornless Locust, above*



*Crimson King Maple, below*

## **Crimson King Maple**

**T 7 Crimson King Maple** (P.P. 735). Truly a King of the ornamental trees, it is distinctive, colorful, captivating. Far superior to Schwedler's Purple Maple. The foliage is a deep maroon-purple from the time it leafs out until the leaves fall. This rich color adds an exhilarating contrast to the prevalent greens. Fine for city planting, not harmed by smoke, gasses, dust. It will live for many generations, becoming more attractive each passing year. We have sold many thousands since we first offered it, spring of 1949. Now we are receiving enthusiastic letters of praise. The trees we send you are one year old top, 3 year old roots. They are especially fine specimens this spring. They will start branching the first summer and every leaf, every inch of growth will be a delight. Perfectly hardy and easy to grow. **BE SURE TO WATER YOUR SHADE TREES THOROUGHLY EVERY FALL.**

**6 to 8 feet, Not Postpaid . . . . . Each \$6.95**

**5 to 6 feet, Not Postpaid . . . . . Each 5.95**

**4 to 5 feet, Not Postpaid . . . . . Each 4.95**

### **CRIMSON KING SPECIAL**

<b>1 Crimson King Maple</b>	<b>1 Sunburst Locust</b>	<b>1 White Clump Birch</b>
<b>6 to 8 feet</b>	<b>5 to 6 feet</b>	<b>5 to 6 feet</b>

**TT 35 All 3 for only \$13.95 Not Postpaid**

*\$18.35 Value*



# Magnificent, New Grandiflora Roses

*Grandiflora* is an exciting new class of roses. It combines the abundant bloom and rugged hardiness of the *Floribundas* with the wonderful bud form, long lasting, larger flowers and superb cutting stems of the Hybrid Teas. Makes a vigorous plant 3 to 4 feet tall.

**C 230 Queen Elizabeth** (P.P. 1259). 1955 AARS Award Winner. This magnificent new rose presents a new color, a breathtaking blending of soft carmine rose and dawn pink, majestically set off by deep green, glossy foliage. The plant has exceptional vigor and disease resistance to assure you of lovely, fragrant flowers all summer long and for many summers to come, increasing in vigor and beauty every year. We consider it one of the greatest roses ever created. Postpaid.

**Large Specimen Plants** ..... Each \$2.75, 3 for \$7.20  
**Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants**..... Each 2.50, 3 for 6.60

**C 231 Buccaneer** (P.P. 1119). Bright yellow, unfading even in summer's heat. Long, handsome, streamlined buds, open into double flowers of glistening gold, on long stems. Plants are healthy, vigorous and bloom June to frost. Postpaid.

**Large Specimen Plants**..... Each \$2.75, 3 for \$7.20  
**Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants**..... Each 2.50, 3 for 6.60

**C 232 Carrousel** (P.P. 1006). Without doubt, one of America's best garden roses. Blooms continuously from June to frost on strong, healthy plants. Flowers are double; a velvety crimson that brings instant attention and admiration. Winning tremendous popularity by the sheer merit of its great performance all over America. Postpaid.

**Large Specimen Plants**..... Each \$2.25, 3 for \$6.00  
**Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants**..... Each 2.00, 3 for 5.25

**C 233 Montezuma** (P.P. 1383). Here is a great new rose that will thrill you with its big, 4-inch flowers of brilliant, scarlet-orange. The long, perfectly-shaped buds are ideal for cutting, so long-lasting and so beautiful. The fully double, high centered flowers are freely produced all summer. And the healthy plants grow vigorously which means more and better flowers. Postpaid.

**Large Specimen Plants**..... Each \$3.00, 3 for \$7.95  
**Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants**..... Each 2.75, 3 for 7.20



Queen Elizabeth



Buccaneer



Carrousel



Montezuma

## GRANDIFLORA SPECIAL, Postpaid

1 Queen Elizabeth 1 Buccaneer 1 Carrousel 1 Montezuma

CC 235 All 4 for \$8.45

Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants

(Value \$9.75)

CC 235A All 4 for \$9.35

Large Specimen Plants

(Value \$10.75)



# The Greatest Roses



Charlotte  
Armstrong



**C 10 Charlotte Armstrong** (P.P. 455). One of the world's best roses; winner of many honors. Magnificent in the garden because of its great vigor, disease-resistant foliage and freedom of bloom. Long streamlined carmine buds open into enchanting flowers of the loveliest cerise, beautiful at all stages. Long stems fine for cutting.

**Large Specimen Plants** . . . . . Each \$2.50, 3 for \$6.60  
**Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants** . . . Each 2.25, 3 for 6.00



**C 58 Peace** (P.P. 591). The greatest rose ever created. The perfect buds open slowly into large, fragrant, fully double flowers. Its greatest charm is the changing panorama of colors. The buds are rich gold edged cerise. As the outer petals unfold, the gold changes to canary then lightens to creamy ivory. The cerise edge gradually deepens and becomes broader so the fully open flower appears a sparkling cerise with a creamy-yellow base. Last unusually long, beautiful at all stages, retaining its perfect form. A vigorous, healthy, free-blooming bush.

**Large Specimen Plants** . . . . . Each \$2.75, 3 for \$7.20  
**Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants** . . . Each 2.50, 3 for 6.60



**C 24 Chrysler Imperial** (P.P. 1167). 1953 All America Award Winner. It may well prove to be the greatest red exhibition rose of all time. In color it is unmatched by any other red rose, a vivid, rich crimson whose true beauty and texture cannot be reproduced on paper. The long tapering buds open to large, high-centered flowers  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 inches across with 40 to 50 velvety petals and very fragrant. Borne singly on stems, fine for cutting. The plant is sturdy and healthy with an abundance of dark green, semi-glossy foliage.

**Large Specimen Plants** . . . . . Each \$2.75, 3 for \$7.20  
**Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants** . . . Each 2.50, 3 for 6.60



Peace

## OUR MOST POPULAR ROSES

**Chrysler Imperial** 1 Peace  
1 Charlotte Armstrong  
1 Queen Elizabeth, page 39  
1 Crimson Glory, page 43

**CC 181A Large Specimen Plants**  
**All 5 for \$10.65 Postpaid**

**CC 181 Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants**  
**All 5 for \$9.65 Postpaid**



Chrysler Imperial

### CHRYSLER SPECIAL, Postpaid

1 Charlotte Armstrong 1 Peace  
1 Chrysler Imperial

CC 179 Select 2-Year  
No. 1 Plants

**All 3 for \$6.35**

(Value \$7.25)

CC 179A Large  
Specimen Plants

**All 3 for \$6.95**

(Value \$8.00)



# of All Time!

These 6 Roses on page 40 and 41 are truly the "cream of the crop." Each one ranks among the very best of its color according to all tests and ratings both in this country and throughout the world. One of these, Peace, is generally accepted as the greatest Rose ever created. If you have seen it bloom you will know why it deserves this distinction. Chrysler Imperial and New Yorker rate along with the famous Crimson Glory as the top red Roses. Charlotte Armstrong, Helen Traubel and Sutter's Gold all rate as the finest in their respective color class. It is impossible to capture their exquisite beauty on paper. You must see them in full, glorious flower to appreciate how outstanding they are. Be sure to plant them this Spring. In a few short weeks they will be blooming in your garden. Excellent for cutting with their long, strong stems. *All Inter-State Roses are guaranteed to please you when you receive them and also when they bloom in your garden this summer. All Roses are shipped Postpaid, trimmed for planting.*

**C 61 New Yorker** (P.P. 823). The enchanting fragrant unfading red flowers are borne in profusion on robust healthy plants, with long stems ideal for cutting. Grows perfectly with little care. The tremendous flowers often 6½ inches across make any garden a showplace. If you already have it, add more plants to your garden, if not, by all means try a few plants this spring.

**Large Specimen Plants** ..... Each \$2.75, 3 for \$7.20  
**Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants** ..... Each 2.50, 3 for 6.60

**C 187 Sutter's Gold** (P.P. 885). This fine new rose not only won All America Rose Selection award for 1950 but also won the Gold Medal in the world famous Bagatelle trials in Paris, the first time a rose has won both honors the same year. The long pointed buds are bright yellow shaded orange and red. Open into high-centered flowers of richest golden yellow.

**Large Specimen Plants** ..... Each \$2.50, 3 for \$6.60  
**Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants** ..... Each 2.25, 3 for 6.00

**C 40 Helen Traubel** (P.P. 1028). This lovely 1952 AARS winner has perfect buds which develop into large, well-formed flowers borne singly on long stems, fine for cutting. The color varies from bright porcelain-pink to luminous apricot-pink, depending on the season. A vigorous, healthy grower.

**Large Specimen Plants** ..... Each \$3.00, 3 for \$7.95  
**Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants** ..... Each 2.75, 3 for 7.20

## THE GREATEST ROSE COLLECTION

All 6 Roses Pictured on pages 40 and 41

**1 Charlotte Armstrong 1 Peace 1 Helen Traubel**  
**1 Chrysler Imperial 1 New Yorker 1 Sutter's Gold**

**CC 80A All 6 for \$13.95**

**Large Specimen Plants, Postpaid**

**CC 80 All 6 for \$12.75**


**Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants, Postpaid**

New  
Yorker



## NEW YORKER SPECIAL

<b>1 New Yorker</b>	<b>1 Sutter's Gold</b>	<b>1 Helen Traubel</b>
<b>CC 212A All 3 for \$7.25</b>	<i>(Value \$8.25)</i>	
<b>Large Specimen Plants, Postpaid</b>		
<b>CC 212 All 3 for \$6.60</b>	<i>(Value \$7.50)</i>	
<b>Select, 2-Year No. 1 Plants, Postpaid</b>		

An All America Rose Selection Award indicated by this symbol  is the highest honor a rose

can achieve in America. The All America Selections system is a unique method for testing new varieties before they are introduced to the public. A rose has to be superior in every respect to win an award because it is tested by experts in trial rose gardens in all sections of the U. S. Not only are the flowers superior but also the plant and habit of growth. They cost but little more than other varieties and are well worth the difference.

Sutter's Gold



Helen  
Traubel









# Inter-State's Famous Gold Medal Collection

TEN OF AMERICA'S FINEST EVERBLOOMING ROSES  
... AT NEW, LOWER PRICES

Countess Vandal, below

*Lovely and Fragrant . . . Vigorous and Hardy . . . Guaranteed to Bloom This Summer*

**Countess Vandal**, copper-pink-gold.  
**Christopher Stone**, unfading scarlet.  
**Allure**, new beautiful salmon-rose.  
**McGredy's Yellow**, clear yellow.

**President Hoover**, cerise and gold.  
**The Doctor**, shining pink.  
**Duquesa de Penaranda**, copper-apricot.

**Eclipse**, bright yellow.  
**McGredy's Ivory**, exhibition white.  
**Crimson Glory**, America's favorite red rose.

CC 1 ALL 10 FOR \$10<sup>95</sup>

Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants, Postpaid

We Guarantee every Gold Medal Rose to please you when you receive it and also when it blooms this summer

Hundreds of thousands of these famous Inter-State Gold Medal Roses have been planted from coast to coast. Nothing we have sold has made us more friends and new customers. NOTHING COULD BE FINER AS A GIFT TO A RELATIVE OR FRIEND. They are fully described on pages 50 and 51. We send you the finest 2-Year Field-grown plants, trimmed ready for planting. They WILL BLOOM THIS SUMMER and many summers to come, from early June until Frost. Order Early, Plant Early and in a few weeks you will have beautiful roses blooming in your garden.

CC 1A ALL 10 FOR \$11<sup>95</sup>

Our Largest Size Specimen Plants, Postpaid

If all of you had seen last summer the big fields of Inter-State's Roses, we simply would not have half enough. Large, sturdy, healthy, vigorous plants, full of magnificent flowers. No finer rose plants in all America and few their equal. Carefully dug and handled, they are now in our new exclusive Refrigerated Storage with ideal temperature and moisture control. We can keep these plants in dormant and perfect planting condition into June. But we advise planting as early as you can because the sooner you plant, the sooner they bloom.

Eclipse

McGredy's Ivory, below

Christopher Stone, above

→  
McGredy's  
Yellow

The Doctor  
→

→  
President  
Hoover

42

Allure, above

Duquesa de Penaranda

43

Crimson Glory



# Inter-State's Finest



Mirandy



The varieties pictured and described on pages 44 and 45 are 6 of our very best everblooming hybrid tea roses. Their lovely, colorful flowers will make a spectacular showing in your garden this summer and for many years to come. All 6 will bloom profusely from late spring until freezing weather in the fall—large, fully-double flowers, rich colors, long stems for gorgeous bouquets. It's so nice to be able to go into your own garden and cut a fresh bouquet for yourself or for friends. Plant several Inter-State Roses this spring and in a few weeks you'll be cutting the beautiful flowers.

## *Mirandy*, RICH DEEP CRIMSON

**C 50 Mirandy** (P.P. 632). This is one of America's finest dark red roses. Large buds open into immense fully double flowers with 50 petals and last a long time. Very fragrant. Blooms singly on long stems, fine for cutting. Vigorous grower with deep green, luxuriant foliage. A prolific bloomer from June to frost. Postpaid.

**Large Specimen Plants**  
Each \$2.50, 3 for \$6.60

**Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants**  
Each \$2.25, 3 for \$6.00

### **MIRANDY SPECIAL**, Postpaid

**1 Mirandy 1 Mojave 1 Twilight**

**CC 190A All 3 for \$7.45**

**Large Specimen Plants**

**CC 190 All 3 for \$6.75**

**Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants**

## *Twilight*, LOVELY ROSE-LAVENDER

**C 70 Twilight** (P.P. 1434). Presents another unusual, new color in Roses, a lovely pastel tint of rose-lavender with silver reverse. The pointed buds gradually open into high-centered, fragrant flowers 3 to 4 inches across. It makes a neat, compact plant about 2 feet tall with healthy, handsome foliage. If you want something different and unusual yet beautiful in your garden, plant Twilight this spring. Postpaid.

**Large Specimen Plants** . . . . . Each \$3.00, 3 for \$7.95

**Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants** . . . Each 2.75, 3 for 7.20



Twilight



Mojave



**C 32 Mojave** (P.P. 1176). This outstanding rose won the top AARS Award for 1954. When you see it blooming in your own garden you will know why it wins the highest honors. The richly colored buds open into large, double flowers of glowing sunset orange with tones of scarlet and vermillion. The perfectly formed buds are the finest of all roses. Postpaid.

**Large Specimen Plants** . . . . . Each \$3.00, 3 for \$7.95

**Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants** . . . Each 2.75, 3 for 7.20



### **SPECTACULAR ROSE COLLECTION**

One Each of 6 Roses pictured on pages 44 and 45, Postpaid.

**1 Diamond Jubilee 1 Mirandy 1 Mojave**  
**1 White Knight 1 Twilight 1 Tiffany**

**CC 41A All 6 for \$14.45 Large Specimen Plants**

**CC 41 All 6 for \$12.95 Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants**



# Hybrid Tea Roses

All Inter-State Roses are guaranteed to please you when you receive them and also when they bloom in your garden this summer. All Roses are shipped Postpaid, trimmed ready for planting.

## *Tiffany*, RADIANT LIGHT-PINK

**C 79 Tiffany** (P.P. 1304). The finest light pink ever to win the All America Award. This outstanding new rose produces long, pointed buds of deep pink which open into large, perfectly-formed flowers of radiant light pink with a golden shading at the base of the petals. It is delightfully fragrant, long-lasting and comes singly on strong stems, fine for cutting. Makes a vigorous, upright plant with beautiful dark green foliage. Postpaid.

**Large Specimen Plants**..... Each \$2.75, 3 for \$7.20  
**Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants**..... Each 2.50, 3 for 6.60

*Tiffany*



*Diamond Jubilee*



### TIFFANY SPECIAL

**1 Tiffany      1 White Knight**  
**1 Diamond Jubilee**

**CC 83A All 3 for \$7.35**

**Large Specimen Plants, Postpaid**

**CC 83 All 3 for \$6.65**

**Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants, Postpaid**

## *Diamond Jubilee*, LARGE, FRAGRANT

**C 29 Diamond Jubilee** (P.P. 824). The large, fragrant flowers of warm buff-orange are fully double, high centered up to 5 inches across. They last unusually long both on the bush and when cut for beautiful bouquets. The plants are exceptionally vigorous, blooming freely all season, from early June until Frost. Postpaid.

**Large Specimen Plants**..... Each \$2.50, 3 for \$6.60  
**Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants**..... Each 2.25, 3 for 6.00

## *White Knight*, 1958 AARS WINNER

**C 43 White Knight** (P.P. 1359). The first white Hybrid Tea Rose ever to win an AARS award. The perfect, pointed buds open into large, fully-double, snow-white flowers often 5 inches or more across. The vigorous plants grow 3 feet tall and are covered with attractive, lively green foliage. We have waited many years for a white rose good enough to win the AARS award and we believe White Knight has been well worth waiting for. Postpaid.

**Large Specimen Plants**..... Each \$3.25, 3 for \$8.45  
**Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants**..... Each 3.00, 3 for 7.95

*White Knight*







# Glorious Floribundas

WILL BLOOM FROM JUNE TO FROST

Vogue



Floribunda Roses are becoming more popular every year as they help make America's homes more colorful, more attractive. Their shapely plants are perfect for beds, borders, as a stunning flowering hedge or in plantings with shrubs and evergreens. Also, in front of picture windows their bright, cheerful flowers can be enjoyed from both inside and outside the house. Inter-State's floribundas are the finest money can buy. They are guaranteed to please you when you receive the plants and also when they bloom this summer. See catalog envelope, pages 52 and 53 for more radiant floribundas. Postpaid.

## Picture Special

One Each of All 6 Floribundas pictured on pages 46 and 47

CC 116A All 6 for \$12.95 Large Specimen Plants  
CC 116 All 6 for 11.75 Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants

**C 194 Vogue** (P.P. 926), brings a new distinct color to the Floribundas, bright cherry-coral. Attractive buds open into perfectly formed, high centered flowers, 3 to 4 inches across. Delightfully fragrant. Makes a husky plant nearly 3 feet tall. Cutting the flowers freely will stimulate more bloom.

**Large Specimen Plants**..... Each \$2.25, 3 for \$6.00, 12 for \$23.50  
**Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants**..... Each 2.00, 3 for 5.25, 12 for 20.50

**C 198 Circus** (P.P. 1382) is the first multicolored Floribunda to win the AARS Award. The constantly changing panorama of colors will delight you. The perfect buds are bright yellow and orange becoming orange-buff with shades of pink on the outer petals which gradually develop into cerise when fully open. The hybrid-tea style flowers are fully-double, fragrant. 2 feet tall.

**Large Specimen Plants**..... Each \$2.75, 3 for \$7.20, 12 for \$28.50  
**2-Year No. 1 Plants**..... Each 2.50, 3 for 6.60, 12 for 26.00

**C 199 White Bouquet** (P.P. 1415) 1957 All America Winner. The Gardenia-like flowers are large, often measuring 4 to 5 inches across, a sparkling pure white which contrasts beautifully with the healthy luxuriant dark green foliage. Makes a bushy plant 1½ to 2 feet tall and almost as wide, covered with spicy-sweet fragrant blooms from June until Frost.

**Large Specimen Plants**..... Each \$2.75, 3 for \$7.20, 12 for \$28.50  
**Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants**..... Each 2.50, 3 for 6.60, 12 for 26.00

**C 85 Fashion** (P.P. 789) is considered the finest Floribunda ever introduced. The vigorous, healthy plants are covered with big clusters of blooms from June to Frost. An excitingly different color in roses, warm oriental-red buds open into the loveliest sparkling coral-pink richly suffused with gold. Their exquisite old-rose fragrance fills the air. Hardy, makes a bushy plant 24 inches tall.

**Large Specimen Plants**..... Each \$2.25, 3 for \$6.00, 12 for \$23.50  
**Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants**..... Each 2.00, 3 for 5.25, 12 for 20.50



Circus



## VOGUE SPECIAL, Postpaid

1 Circus 1 Fashion 1 Vogue 1 White Bouquet

CC 109A All 4 for \$8.65 Large Specimen Plants

CC 109 All 4 for \$7.85 Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants

White Bouquet



Fashion





**BEAUTIFUL  
EVERBLOOMING**

# Tree Roses

Enjoy Roses, the Queen of Flowers, at eye level in unique, superlative tree form. All are everblooming, giving a continuous display of lovely, fragrant blooms from June to frost. The flowers are even larger, more beautiful and more freely produced than on regular bush roses. They are grown by budding the varieties 3 feet above the ground on a special tree rose stock. Our Planting Guide gives a simple method of winter protection. Each variety (in bush form) is described on pages indicated below. In case we are sold out of the variety you order, please indicate your second choice. Inter-State Tree Roses are the finest grown, guaranteed to please you when you receive them and also when they bloom this summer.

## YOUR CHOICE OF THE FOLLOWING VARIETIES

*Postpaid and Trimmed Ready for Planting*

**Each \$6.50      2 for \$12.00      4 for \$23.00**

### EVERBLOOMING HYBRID TEA TREE ROSES

- TC 132 **Charlotte Armstrong.** Cerise, one of the world's greatest. (See page 40).  
 TC 139 **Chrysler Imperial.** Pictured at right. Vivid, rich crimson. 1953 AARS Award Winner, outstanding in tree form (see page 40).  
 TC 125 **Crimson Glory.** Most popular red rose (pages 43, 50).  
 TC 126 **Eclipse.** Radiant, clear yellow (pages 43, 50).  
 TC 147 **Helen Traubel.** Our finest pink rose (page 41).  
 TC 143 **New Yorker.** Huge flowers of brilliant crimson (page 41).  
 TC 135 **Peace.** Gold, canary, cream and pink, the greatest of all roses. Outstanding in tree form (page 40).  
 TC 140 **Sutter's Gold.** Bright copper buds open to golden yellow flowers (Page 41).  
 TC 131 **The Doctor.** A shining, beautiful pure pink (pages 43, 51).  
 TC 148 **White Knight.** Large flowers of pure snowwhite (page 45).

### EVERBLOOMING FLORIBUNDA TREE ROSES

- TC 145 **Circus.** Apricot buds become orange-buff and cerise (page 46).  
 TC 127 **Fashion.** Coral-pink, the most popular Floribunda (page 46).  
 TC 137 **Fusilier.** 1958 AARS Winner. Brilliant cherry-red floribunda (see below).  
 TC 136 **Gold Cup.** Profuse producer of golden-yellow flowers (see below).



*Chrysler Imperial Tree Rose*

## 1959 AARS WINNER IN TREE FORM

**Each \$6.75 Postpaid**

TC 134 **Ivory Fashion.** Enchanting white floribunda that blooms profusely from June to frost. Pictured and described on catalog envelope.

## THE 1958 ALL AMERICA

# Floribunda Roses

C 123 **Fusilier** (P.P. 1709) presents a brand new color in All America Roses, a brilliant cherry-red, probably the brightest red rose in all our varieties. The rich, red buds slowly open into large, 3-inch flowers, delightfully fragrant and non-fading. 2 feet tall.

**Large Specimen Plants** ..... Each \$2.75, 3 for \$7.20  
**Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants** ..... Each 2.50, 3 for 6.60

C 122 **Gold Cup** (P.P.1683) has the most attractive, healthiest foliage of any floribunda. Add the rich, golden flowers and you have the finest yellow floribunda ever created. 2½ feet tall.

**Large Specimen Plants** ..... Each 3 for \$2.75 \$7.20  
**Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants** ... 2.50 6.60

### GOLD CUP SPECIAL, Postpaid

**2 Fusilier      2 Gold Cup**

**CC 121A All 4 for \$9.45**

**Large Specimen Plants**

**CC 121 All 4 for \$8.65**

**Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants**



*Fusilier*



*Gold Cup*





# New, Hardy

## Bloom Spring to Frost

For mass display of color, hardly anything can equal climbing roses in full bloom. Used on porches, arbors, trellises and trailing over fences. All these climbers are hardy, but we recommend that winter protection be given in cold sections. Set 3 to 4 feet apart. Dr. J. H. Nicolas, Blaze, Paul's Scarlet, Gladiator, Golden Showers, Climbing Chrysler Imperial and Coral Pillar are ideal for trellis. They are Pillar type and do not grow as vigorously as the others. Gold Rush, New Dawn and White Dawn grow more vigorously and can be used for trellis, porch, pergola or fence. City of York and Zephyr are ideal for pergola, porch or fence as they are such strong growers. We recommend using Ra-Pid-Gro (page 7) when planting and every 3 or 4 weeks during June, July and August. All climbing roses are **Postpaid**.

### DR. NICOLAS SPECIAL

Postpaid

**1 Dr. J. H. Nicolas**  
**1 Golden Showers**  
**1 Gladiator**  
**1 Blaze**

**Large Specimen Plants**

**CC 174A All 4 for \$8.45**

**2-Year No. 1 Plants**

**CC 174 All 4 for \$7.65**



Golden Showers, above  
Blaze, below

Dr. J. H. Nicolas, above

Gladiator, below





# Everblooming Climbing Roses

**Blaze**, brilliant, scarlet-crimson. Pictured on Page 48

**C 155 Blaze**—Our most popular red climbing rose. Blaze is completely covered with brilliant scarlet-crimson flowers in June and repeat blooms intermittently all season. It holds this bright color in even the hottest sun, a sight that will stop the traffic to see this spectacular rose in full bloom. It makes an ideal pillar rose for planting along fences, porches or arches.

**Large Specimen Plants, Each \$1.75, 3 for \$4.50, Postpaid**  
**2-Year No. 1 Plants, Each 1.50, 3 for 3.90, Postpaid**

**Dr. J. H. Nicolas**, lovely rose-pink

**C 165 Dr. J. H. Nicolas** (P.P. 457). This picture, made from a color photograph, shows the beauty and freedom of bloom of this remarkable new rose. From late spring to hard frost the fully double, 50 to 60 petals, deep rose-pink flowers are produced. Very fragrant, they come on long stems fine for cutting. Hardy as Paul's Scarlet and disease resistant. Very fine as a pillar rose. The most popular climber we ever sold. It produces flowers just as perfect as those from a bush rose. Fertilize with Ra-Pid-Gro, Vigoro, etc. The more it grows, the more it blooms. Will bloom this summer. *Pictured on Page 48.*

**Large Specimen Plants, Each \$2.25, 3 for \$6.00, Postpaid**  
**2-Year No. 1 Plants, Each 2.00, 3 for 5.25, Postpaid**

**Gladiator**, New, Everblooming. Pictured on Page 48

**C 164 Gladiator** (P.P. 1524). A new everblooming Climbing Rose with immense 5-inch high-centered fragrant flowers of a glowing rosy-carmine-red. It blooms and re-blooms from Spring to Frost. Has withstood below zero with us but we advise winter protection in cold states so as to take no chance of losing any of the wonderful flowers the following Summer. Strong grower, 8 to 10-feet tall, with blooms all over the plant.

**Large Specimen Plants, Each \$3.00, 3 for \$7.95, Postpaid**  
**2-Year No. 1 Plants, Each 2.75, 3 for 7.20, Postpaid**

## CLIMBING *Golden Showers*

**C 162 Golden Showers** (P.P. 1557). The first Climbing Rose to win the AARS Award in 16 years. An all-purpose climber, it can be trained on a fence or trellis, or it makes a natural, self-supporting pillar Rose about 5 to 6 feet tall. However you use it, Golden Showers is certain to make your home or garden more beautiful. And it is everblooming, beginning with a grand display in late spring and blooming continuously until late fall. The fragrant 4 to 5 inch flowers are a fresh daffodil yellow. *Pictured on Page 48.*

**Large Specimen Plants, Each \$3.00, 3 for \$7.95, Postpaid**  
**2-Year No. 1 Plants, Each 2.75, 3 for 7.20, Postpaid**

### GOLD RUSH, hardy—everblooming

**C 170 Gold Rush**—At last we have a hardy everblooming yellow climbing rose. The lovely flowers are large, double, high-centered and a rich golden yellow. They are produced from late spring to frost. Will bloom this summer and fall. The foliage is a glossy ivy-green. Hardy, a vigorous grower, this new variety is certainly welcome.

**Large Specimen, Each \$2.25, 3 for \$6.00**  
**2-Year No. 1, Each 2.00, 3 for 5.25**

### CLIMBING CHRYSLER IMPERIAL

**C 163 Climbing Chrysler Imperial** (P.P. 1528). Now the famous Chrysler Imperial as a climber. The same rich, brilliant crimson flowers as pictured on page 40. Perfectly-formed, high centered flowers, 4 to 5 inches across cover the plant from June until late fall. WILL BLOOM THIS SUMMER.

**Specimen, Each \$3.00, 3 for \$7.95**  
**2-Year No. 1, Each 2.75, 3 for 7.20**

**C 156 City of York**—The best white climbing rose. For weeks in late spring and early summer, absolutely covered with the 3-inch pure white flowers. So fragrant they perfume the entire area. There is some recurrent bloom during summer and fall.

**Specimen, Each \$1.75, 3 for \$4.50**  
**2-Year No. 1, Each 1.50, 3 for 3.75**

**C 154 Coral Pillar**—This magnificent new everblooming rose is a perfect pillar and climbing rose. The flowers are large, a brilliant blending of pink, carmine, gold and apricot. Hardly ever out of bloom from spring to frost.

**Specimen, Each \$1.90, 3 for \$4.55**  
**2-Year No. 1, Each 1.65, 3 for 3.95**

**C 152 New Dawn**—The flowers are large, double, a lovely apple-blossom pink, delightfully fragrant. They come on long stems fine for cutting. Blooms constantly from late spring to frost. An ideal pillar rose. Hardy. Will bloom this season.

**Specimen, Each \$1.75, 3 for \$4.50**  
**2-Year No. 1, Each 1.50, 3 for 3.75**

**C 161 Paul's Scarlet**—This famous rose is the most popular red climbing rose ever created. A mature plant in full bloom is a sight that simply stops everybody who passes by. It is a solid sheet of blazing scarlet. The color does not fade but is as bright when last petal falls as when it opened. The flowers come in clusters on long stems. Plant on trellis or porch.

**Specimen, Each \$1.45, 3 for \$3.75**  
**2-Year No. 1, Each 1.25, 3 for 3.25**

### PAUL'S SCARLET SPECIAL

**1 Paul's Scarlet      1 White Dawn**  
**1 Gold Rush**

**CC 171A All 3 for \$4.45**  
**Specimen Plants, Postpaid**

**CC 171 All 3 for \$3.85**  
**2-Year No. 1 Plants, Postpaid**

**C 169 White Dawn**—The first hardy, everblooming white climbing rose. The flowers are double, snow-white, fragrant and produced constantly from late spring until frost. WILL BLOOM THIS SUMMER AND FALL. Beautiful, Everblooming, Vigorous, Hardy.

**Specimen, Each \$2.00, 3 for \$5.25**  
**2-Year No. 1, Each 1.75, 3 for 4.65**

**C 166 Zephyr** (Zephirine Drouhin)—Here is a rose that really climbs. It will cover a porch, arch or fence. IT HAS NO THORNS. It is hardier than most climbers. In the spring it is covered with the large unfading American Beauty rosy-red flowers.

**Specimen, Each \$1.75, 3 for \$4.50**  
**2-Year No. 1, Each 1.50, 3 for 3.90**

### EVERBLOOMING CLIMBER SPECIAL

**1 Dr. J. H. Nicolas      1 Golden Showers**  
**1 Climbing Chrysler Imperial**

**CC 173A All 3 for \$6.95**  
**Specimen Plants, Postpaid**

**CC 173 All 3 for \$6.35**  
**2-Year No. 1 Plants, Postpaid**



## Inter-State's ROSE GUARANTEE

We believe our roses are the finest it is possible to produce. They are guaranteed to grow and bloom for you this summer, except some climbers which bloom next year after planting. If they do not, notify us by August 1st, 1959 and we will replace them free.

Remember that roses are living plants and respond to good care and attention. With each order we send a Planting Guide. Just follow the simple planting and cultural instructions and you will have glorious flowers. Fertile soil and loving care means more and better blooms.

Use RA-PID-GRO (page 7) regularly for more and better flowers.

The Rose is rightfully called the Queen of All Flowers. None other can equal its fragrance, its colorful beauty, its grace, its freedom of bloom from spring to frost. Can you think of another hobby that will provide more pleasure, more beauty than growing roses? Each year many thousands buy from this fascinating selection of glorious, hardy, everblooming Hybrid Tea roses. They will commence blooming 7 to 8 weeks after planting. PLANT ROSES EARLY, the time when people are putting in early gardens. Plant 20 to 24 inches apart. With each order we send Planting Instructions telling you how to plant and care for your roses.

We wish that you could have seen last summer our large field of roses. There are none finer and few their equal. They matured perfectly and are now in our new exclusive rose refrigerated storage, with ideal temperature and moisture control. We believe it is the finest rose storage built, and will keep the rose plants in perfect, dormant planting condition into early summer. BUT WE ADVISE THAT YOU ORDER EARLY AND PLANT EARLY. The sooner you plant, the sooner you get flowers.

Those who prefer extra large bushes, will select the Large Specimen Plants. These are big and husky, well-branched and heavily rooted, the cream of the crop. However, we assure you that our Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants will satisfy critical buyers. They have made Inter-State Roses famous all over America. The Standard 2-Year Medium (No. 1½ grade) Plants are smaller than the 2-Year No. 1. They will bloom this summer and are a good value.

Prices on all roses on pages 50 and 51 (except Allure).

Your choice of varieties, alike or assorted, postpaid

	Each	5 for	10 for	25 for
Large Specimen Plants . . . . .	\$1.65	\$7.75	\$14.45	\$33.75
Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants . . . . .	1.45	6.75	12.45	28.75
Standard 2-Year Medium Plants . . . . .	1.20	5.45	9.85	22.75

**C 12 Allure** (P. P. 886)—A new rose we introduced spring of 1950. We think that it is the finest rose of its color. In the first place the plant is so healthy, vigorous and free-blooming, with glossy leathery foliage. It won a First Certificate at the Famous Bagatelle Gardens. The buds are large, pointed, perfect form and gradually unfurl to a very large, high-centered flower with a pleasing fragrance. It lasts a long time. The color is a rich shining Neyron rose suffused with gold and tinted salmon. When fully open the flowers are 5 to 6 inches across. They come singly on long stems, very fine for cutting. Has very few thorns. It is far more beautiful than pictured on Page 42.

**Specimen Plants, Each \$2.00; 3 for \$5.25**  
**2-Year No. 1 Plants, Each 1.75; 3 for 4.65**

**C 22 Christopher Stone**—A most exciting new rose—a brilliant, sparkling scarlet-crimson without a trace of blue. Shapely long pointed buds open into large attractive flowers with the true old damask rose fragrance. A healthy, vigorous grower and exceedingly free-bloomer. Stands lots of heat. One of the best bright red roses. Pictured on page 42.

**C 42 Countess Vandal**—The long, pointed, orange-copper buds will delight you. Without doubt, one of the finest roses in bud form. Opens into large, double, high-centered flowers of brilliant pink shaded salmon with yellow at the base of the petals. Makes a healthy, free-blooming plant. Fragrant. Unbeatable as a cut flower. Even more beautiful than pictured on Page 42.

**C 21 Condesa de Sastago**—Large, fragrant flowers with inside of petals red and outside yellow, creating a striking two-tone effect. An unusually healthy, vigorous grower, very free-blooming. Thrives even under difficult conditions.

**C 11 Crimson Glory**—Pictured on page 43. America's favorite red rose. Perfect buds open into large, magnificent blooms of velvety deep crimson. So fragrant that only a few flowers will perfume a room. A healthy grower, it produces its beautiful flowers from late spring to frost.

**C 25 Duquesa de Penaranda**—A most intriguing color of orange-apricot, with deeper coppery tones, large pointed buds, sweetly perfumed, long lasting. A tall, strong grower with beautiful foliage. One of the first varieties to bloom in the spring. Pictured on page 43.

**C 26 Eclipse**—We rate this one of the best of all yellow roses. The golden-yellow, streamlined buds are often more than 2 inches long ornamented with narrow, branching sepals. Very fine for cutting with their strong, erect stems. The vigorous, upright plants are in bloom almost continuously from June until Frost. Pictured on page 43.

**C 27 Editor McFarland**—All through the season the lovely fragrant, glowing pink flowers are produced on long, strong stems, fine for cutting. The buds are perfect. One of the finest pink roses.

**C 30 Etoile de Hollande**—One of the grandest red roses of all time. The buds are simply perfect and they open into large, glorious flowers of velvety crimson. Very fragrant, fine stems for cutting. A strong, healthy grower and free-blooming.

### CRIMSON GLORY SPECIAL

Our 3 most popular colors - red, pink and yellow. 3 of our very finest roses.

1 Crimson Glory

1 Eclipse

1 The Doctor

CC 4A All 3 for only \$3.95

Large Specimen Plants, Postpaid

CC 4 All 3 for only \$3.35

Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants, Postpaid



# Everblooming Roses

Plant This Spring  
For Blooms This Summer

**C 34 Frau Karl Druschki**—The magnificent white rose that is loved by all. Immense long, pointed buds open into graceful flowers that are unsurpassed for form and the color is the clearest, pure white. Perfectly hardy. Such a vigorous grower you should plant them farther apart.

**C 36 Golden Dawn**—The gorgeous buds of yellow have splashes of carmine and open into large, fragrant flowers of rich yellow. Hardy, vigorous, free-blooming. The highest rated non-patented yellow rose.

**C 44 K. A. Victoria**—Absolutely perfect, fragrant flowers of ivory-white. An old favorite that even today is unsurpassed.

**C 47 McGredy's Ivory**—A magnificent creamy-white rose that is fragrant and deep-petaled. Buds are long pointed, opening into very large, double flowers. Many consider it the finest white rose. Pictured on page 43.

**C 49 McGredy's Yellow**—This is our favorite yellow rose. The color is so soft and clear and pure. The flower has a charm and grace all its own and entirely distinct. A strong grower and free bloomer. Pictured on page 42.

**C 51 Mme. Joseph Perraud**—An outstanding rose. A wonderful exhibition and garden rose. The long slender buds open into fragrant full flowers of nasturtium buff flushed orange. Very vigorous. Large, glossy foliage.

**C 52 Mme. Jules Bouche**—A very fine white garden rose. The sweetly scented blooms are produced all season and last a long time when cut. Exceedingly prolific bloomer.

## Get-Acquainted Special

These are five of the best roses, vigorous growers, free-blooming. This Special Offer is made so that you can plant them in your own garden and find out for yourself the satisfaction, the pleasure, the beauty that Inter-State roses have brought to hundreds of thousands. Pictured on pages 42 and 43. POSTPAID.

**Crimson Glory**, rich crimson  
**McGredy's Ivory**, exhibition white  
**McGredy's Yellow**, bright yellow  
**Countess Vandal**, copper-apricot  
**The Doctor**, shining pink

**CC 2A All 5 for only \$6.95**  
Large Specimen Plants

**CC 2 All 5 for only \$5.95**  
Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants

**C 53 Mrs. Charles Bell**—A strong, healthy grower that is often called Blush Radiance. The flowers are a lovely luminous shell-pink, entirely different from all other roses.

**C 55 Mrs. P. S. du Pont**—From early summer until freezing this rose is a glorious sight with its rich yellow flowers. Long pointed buds, fragrant, profuse bloomer. It was the favorite yellow rose in our World's Fair Rose Garden in Chicago.

**C 56 Mrs. Sam McGredy**—Exquisite pointed buds open into beautiful, large, double, high-centered flowers of striking colors, scarlet, orange and copper. Fragrant, long stems fine for cutting. Free-blooming.

**C 63 Pedrables**—This fine white rose is large, often 5 inches across. The creamy buds open into pure snow-white fragrant flowers. A vigorous, well-branched grower and extremely free-blooming, all season through.

**C 59 Picture**—We consider this one of the very finest pink roses, a clear pink with just a trace of salmon to give it a warm glow. Delightfully fragrant. The blooms are perfect in bud and when open. Blooms continuously.

**C 60 Pink Dawn**—A new rose. Fine for gardening and cutting. Buds are lovely, and open into large, fully double flowers of clear, purest pink. Extremely fragrant. A vigorous grower, hardy and free-blooming.

**C 62 Poinsettia**—This free-blooming rose brings to you the brilliance, the glowing red color of the Christmas Poinsettia. Long pointed buds, ideally formed, fine for cutting, free-blooming.

**C 64 Pres. Hoover**—A glorious combination of cerise-toned orange, scarlet and yellow. Richly perfumed, long stemmed and free-blooming. One of the most beautiful roses ever introduced. Pictured on page 42.

**C 66 Radiance, Pink**—The great pink rose, planted everywhere because it has made good all over America. Fragrant.

**C 67 Radiance, Red**—America's great red rose. Vigorous grower, hardy, healthy, free-blooming, with a true rose fragrance.

## Hardy, Rugged Roses

Here are five roses that the test of time has proven to be unusually hardy, healthy, vigorous and free-blooming. POSTPAID.

**Etoile de Hollande**, red  
**Frau Karl Druschki**, white  
**Mrs. P.S. du Pont**, yellow  
**Pink Radiance**, pink  
**Talisman**, two tone

**CC 215A All 5 for only \$6.45**  
Large Specimen Plants

**CC 215 All 5 for only \$5.45**  
Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants

## INTER-STATE'S New ROSE DUST

Will keep your roses healthy

Guaranteed satisfactory or  
money refunded

Convenient, Effective, Economical

See Page 6 for Hudson Dusters

This is the best, most effective Rose Dust we know. A new but thoroughly tested formula contains DDT, Malathion, Captan and Sulphur. Highly recommended by rose authorities. It does not discolor flowers or foliage.

This Rose Dust contains the necessary chemicals for the control of fungus diseases such as Black Spot and Mildew, also aphids and leaf eaters. It is very easy to use, no mixing, no fuss, no bother. Clean, healthy foliage is essential to grow good roses, also other plants. Follow a regular dusting schedule, starting early just as soon as the plants are fully leafed out. Dust often, dust regularly and dust thoroughly. You will be astonished at how much better a healthy plant blooms. Complete instructions on every package.

Primarily intended for Roses, it is also effective on other plants. POSTPAID.

**K 150 2½ Pounds Rose Dust and Fibre Duster for \$2.25**

**K 151 3 Pounds for \$2.15**

**K 152 5 Pounds for \$2.95**

**K 153 10 Pounds for \$4.95**

## NEW ROSE SPRAY

For Insect and Fungus Control

A concentrated formula containing Captan, Karathane and Rotenone that will control insects and fungus diseases of Roses and other plants such as Mums, Phlox, Evergreens, etc. Easy to use and economical too, you mix only 2 Tablespoons per gallon of water. One pound will treat 75 plants for the entire season. POSTPAID.

**K 57 4 ounces for \$1.00**

**K 58 8 ounces for 1.85**

**K 59 1 pound for 2.95**

**C 68 Rex Anderson**—A sensational exhibition rose with huge flowers of delicate ivory-white. The perfectly-formed buds open gracefully into prize-winning blooms of pure loveliness. Healthy foliage, vigorous plants 2 to 2½ feet tall.

**C 72 Soeur (Sister) Therese**—The flowers are a bright yellow with some petals edged carmine. The fragrant blooms come almost in candelabra effect. Healthy, free-blooming.

**C 75 Talisman**—A glorious combination of orange-yellow and rose-red. The buds are long pointed, flower is double, high centered. The fragrant flowers are freely produced all season and are especially fine for cutting.

**C 77 The Doctor**—Considered by many to be the most beautifully colored of all roses. Long, pointed buds open into simply enormous, yet graceful blooms, very fragrant. It is a pink with an iridescence, a sheen beyond description. Each flower is so perfect, so gorgeous, you will consider it almost priceless. Far more beautiful than pictured on page 43.





## EVERBLOOMING FLORIBUNDAS

In the above picture is a planting of Floribunda roses in front of Climbing roses. Floribunda Roses are hardy, disease-resistant and long lived. They need but little care. The flowers come in clusters and bloom constantly from spring to freezing. Plant them in borders, solid beds, or in groups in front of shrubs and evergreens. They make a marvelous hedge. For cutting, just a stem makes a bouquet, and they last a long time when cut. A natural for picture windows. Plant 18 to 24 inches apart.

**C 118 Betty Prior.** Always a mass of bright pink flowers. A strong, healthy grower reaching 3 feet in height. Large clusters of fragrant single flowers all summer long.

**C 93 Dagmar Spath**—Makes a bushy-upright plant over 2 feet tall that is loaded with the great clusters of snow-white flowers, semi-double and fragrant.

**C 90 Else Poulsen**—Vigorous, healthy plants 3 feet tall that produce constantly clusters of the most beautiful bright rosy-pink flowers, semi-double, fragrant. One of the best bedding roses of all time.

**C 94 Eutin**—Great clusters (often 50 or more flowers) of very double, red flowers. Glossy, dark green foliage. Healthy, hardy, vigorous, free-blooming, fragrant. 24 inches tall.

**C 88 Floradora.** Blooms constantly from June to Frost of lovely geranium-red shaded salmon-rose. The flowers are fully double with 40 to 50 petals each. Makes a healthy, upright plant 2½ to 3 feet tall. Winner of AARS Award.

**C 92 Improved Lafayette**—For bedding and border this is hard to beat as the cheerful ripe cherry-red flowers are produced so abundantly all through the season. Semi-double, fragrant. 27 inches tall.

**C 91 Pink Gruss An Aachen**—We have yet to see anybody who does not like this great Floribunda. Makes a bushy, rather spreading plant about 18 inches tall with rich green leathery foliage. Large, fully double flowers, fragrant, exquisite orchid-pink. Perfect for corsages.

**C 117 The Fairy**—Probably the most constant, most prolific bloomer of all roses. Sprays of small, double, shell-pink continually on sturdy, spreading bush around 3 feet tall. Hardy.

**C 95 World's Fair**—The first rose to win an AARS award. Produces deep velvety crimson semi-double flowers all summer. Makes a neat compact plant 2 feet tall.

## All 12 Baby and Floribunda Roses on this Page

Your Choice, Alike or Assorted, Postpaid

	Each	5 for	10 for
Large Specimen Plants . . . . .	\$1.65	\$7.75	\$14.45
Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants . . . . .	1.45	6.75	12.45
Standard 2-Year Medium Plants . . . . .	1.20	5.45	9.85

## EVERBLOOMING BABY ROSES

These Polyantha Baby Roses are ideal for borders and solid beds. Many like them for cemetery planting because they are so hardy and require so little care. Bloom constantly from spring to frost. Grow only 15 to 18 inches tall. Plant 15 to 18 inches apart.

**C 96 Chatillon**—Enormous heads of vivid pink double flowers. It always creates a sensation.

**C 97 Gloria Mundi**—A favorite for the picture windows because of its large clusters of brilliant orange-scarlet double flowers.

**C 98 Sparkler**—Always full of the bright crimson double flowers.

### BABY ROSE SPECIAL

1 Chatillon } CC 103A  
 1 Gloria Mundi } All 3 Postpaid \$3.95  
 1 Sparkler } for Large Specimen Plants

CC 103 All 3 for \$3.45 Postpaid  
 Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants

### TRIAL FLORIBUNDA SPECIAL

Plant these and you will be surprised how well you will like them.

1 Dagmar Spath } CC 104A  
 1 Else Poulsen } All 5 Postpaid \$5.95  
 1 Eutin } for Large Specimen Plants  
 1 Improved Lafayette }  
 1 Pink Gruss an Aachen }

CC 104 All 5 for \$5.25 Postpaid  
 Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants



# More Prize-Winning Inter-State Roses

All Roses Are Shipped Postpaid and Trimmed Ready For Planting  
For Large Specimen plants of 16 roses below, Add 25c per plant

## Everblooming Hybrid Teas

**C 182 Aztec** (P.P. 1648). The "hottest" color in roses, a flaming scarlet-orange, truly describes this sensational new variety. Giant blooms up to 6 inches across; show perfect form and long lasting.  
Select 2-year No. 1 Plants.....**Each \$2.75, 3 for \$7.20**



**C 31 Forty-Niner** (P.P. 792). This AARS Winner is probably the brightest colored rose ever introduced. Inside of petals is vivid red and the outside, chrome yellow.  
Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants.....**Each \$2.25, 3 for \$6.00**

**C 183 Kordes Perfecta** (P.P. 1604). Possesses the most intriguing color combination of all roses, creamy-white petals edged with gorgeous carmine-pink. Large, perfect form, exhibition blooms.  
Select 2-year No. 1 Plants.....**Each \$3.50, 3 for \$9.20**

**C 65 Love Song** (P.P. 1360). A new rose with huge flowers of lovely watermelon-pink with yellow reverse, a magnificent combination that will glow in your garden. Fragrant, freeblooming and vigorous.  
Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants.....**Each \$2.50, 3 for \$6.60**



**C 18 Lowell Thomas** (P.P. 595). The finest pure, clear, non-fading yellow. Shapely buds, large, high-centered flowers of excellent form. A vigorous grower.  
Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants.....**Each \$2.25, 3 for \$6.00**



**C 186 Mission Bells** (P.P. 923). This is one of the most exotic colored of all roses. The flowers are brilliant shrimp pink shaded salmon, 5 to 6 inches across.  
Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants.....**Each \$2.00, 3 for \$5.25**



**C 57 Nocturne** (P.P. 713). Fragrant flowers of cardinal-red shaded crimson with each petal attractively niched which makes it distinctive among all other red roses.  
Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants.....**Each \$2.25, 3 for \$6.00**

**C 184 Pink Peace** (P.A.F.). Like its famous namesake this great new rose has everything—giant flowers, rich color, fragrance and vigorous healthy plant. The fully-double, 6-inch blooms are a luminous pink.  
Select 2-year No. 1 Plants.....**Each \$3.00, 3 for \$7.95**



**C 69 Rubaiyat** (P.P. 758). A marvelous garden rose simply because of the profusion of fragrant, perfectly formed, large, fully double rose red flowers borne from June to Frost.  
Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants.....**Each \$1.75, 3 for \$4.65**



**C 76 Tallyho** (P.P. 828). The magnificent 4 to 5 inch fully double flowers of deep rose shaded soft red are freely produced all summer right up to freezing weather.  
Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants.....**Each \$2.25, 3 for \$6.00**

## Everblooming Floribundas

Your choice all Floribundas below except Amy Vanderbilt  
Select 2-year No. 1 Plants.....**Each \$1.75, 3 for \$4.65**

**C 196 Frensham**. Our best red floribunda. Beautifully-formed buds come continuously from June to frost. 30 inches tall.

**C 87 Goldilocks** (P.P. 672). The first bright yellow floribunda. Fully double fragrant flowers in clusters from June to freezing. 24 inches.



**C 197 Jiminy Cricket** (P.P. 1346). The dainty, urn-shaped buds of tangerine-red burst into beautiful 3½ inch blooms of coral and vermillion. 30 inches.

**C 192 Pinocchio** (P.P. 484). Salmon-pink flowers all through the season. 2 feet.

**C 193 Red Pinocchio** (P.P. 812). Lovely flowers, carmine shaded scarlet. 20 inches.

**C 112 Amy Vanderbilt** (P.P. 1585). Here is a new color in Roses, a rich lavender-lilac. Delightfully fragrant. 2 feet tall.

Select 2-year No. 1 Plants.....**Each \$2.50, 3 for \$6.60**

## Ten Outstanding AARS Winners

We selected these ten as the finest of all the Hybrid Tea Roses to win the AARS Award. Plant an All America Rose Garden This Spring. All pictured on pages 40, 41, 44 and 45. Postpaid.

**1 Charlotte Armstrong**  
**1 Chrysler Imperial**  
**1 Diamond Jubilee**

**1 Helen Traubel**  
**1 Mirandy**  
**1 Mojave**  
**1 White Knight**

**1 Peace**  
**1 Sutter's Gold**  
**1 Tiffany**

**CC 200A All 10 for \$21.95**  
**Large Specimen Plants**

**CC 200 All 10 for \$19.95**  
**Select 2-Year No. 1 Plants**

Aztec  
→

### AZTEC SPECIAL

**1 Aztec**  
**1 Kordes Perfecta**  
**1 Pink Peace**

**CC-35**

**ALL**  
**3**  
**FOR**  
**\$7.95**

Kordes Perfecta  
→

Pink Peace, below



# Inter-State's New Hardy Perennials

All of the outstanding Perennials below are being offered by Inter-State for the first time this spring. They were selected from our extensive trial plantings of hundreds of new Perennials as being superior in color, flower form, vigor and the amount of bloom. They were thoroughly tested here at Hamburg and found to be completely hardy and easy to grow. Be sure to plant some or all of them this spring. They will bloom this season adding glorious color to your garden. Complete planting instructions are included with every order. Postpaid.

## Purple Showers HYBRID VIOLET

**NEW FOR 1959! Pictured on Page 55**

*Now a hardy, long lived Hybrid Violet that blooms spring, summer and into fall. Makes your garden the show-place of your neighborhood! Will bloom this summer!*

**M 95 Each 85c, 3 for \$2.25, 6 for \$3.95 Postpaid**

Here at last the hardy, long-lived Hybrid Violet that we have been looking for. Three years testing here at Hamburg have been spectacularly successful. Not only have we been tremendously impressed by PURPLE SHOWERS but everybody who has seen them has fallen in love with them and wanted them in their garden. Purple Showers has the exquisite delicacy and velvety richness of color of a pampered hot-house prima donna . . . with the vigor, hardiness of a wild woods Violet. It combines the freedom of bloom of the Viola with the ruggedness of the Violet. You will thrill to its abundance of color spring, summer into fall, a deep rich intense glowing purple that holds its vivid color right thru summer's heat. Makes a luxuriant plant, almost a foot across the first season, and holds its rich green foliage all winter. We grow it right out in the open field in full sunshine. However, it will thrive on the north side in full or partial shade. Low-growing, makes a wonderful showing in beds or borders. The flowers are large, often 2 inches long and come singly on 6 to 8-inch stems. Inter-State takes great pride in bringing to you Purple Showers. We believe it has a great future and suggest that you order early. Pictured on page 55.

**NEW FOR 1959!**

## Prairie Bells HYBRID PENSTEMON

**Thrilling Beyond Words! Pictured on Page 55**

**M 232 Each 60c, 3 for \$1.45, 6 for \$2.45 Postpaid**

This new hardy perennial was developed by Glenn Viehmeyer of the Nebraska North Platte Experiment Station. It comes from the western prairies, combining native species of Penstemon, especially the Seeba and Fate Hybrids. Grows 3 to 4 feet tall. The stately stems have heart-shaped blue-green foliage which is attractive after the flowers are gone. The flowers are bell-shaped, often 24 inches or more of colorful blossoms on the stems. Wildflower translucent colors, snow-white, mother-of-pearl, shell pink, coral, amethyst, lavender, rose, ruby—a "Must" for gardeners who enjoy the new, the novel, the dramatically different. Striking in the garden and really something special for bouquets and arrangements. Will bloom this summer. We have found them easy to grow, in full sun or partial shade. In acid soils we advise mixing some hydrated lime with the soil when planting. Normally a new variety like this would be introduced at \$1.00 each or more. But we made the price so reasonable that thousands can test Prairie Bells in their own garden. We think this low introductory price will exhaust our supply before the season is over. Pictured on page 55.

**M 238 Penstemon, Lena Seeba**—This is a pure white form of the Prairie Bells above. Easy to grow, will bloom this summer. New for 1959. **Each 60c, 3 for \$1.45**

**Salvia Purple Spires.** One of our very best perennials. New for 1959—See page 61.

**Penstemon, Indian Jewels.** New for 1959—Pictured on page 67.

## Giant Primroses TO GIVE YOUR GARDEN THE SPARKLE OF NEW LIFE THIS SPRING! →

Plant these Giant Pacific Hybrid Primroses (*primula polyanthus*) this spring. In just a few weeks they will burst into a rainbow of lavishly beautiful blooms, almost before the rest of your garden wakes up. Large flowers, many the size of a silver dollar, much larger than pictured on page 55. Shade loving, they do fine on the north side in full or partial shade. Plant them in beds, or borders. Colors range from delicate pastels through radiant, vivid tones to the boldest, most brilliant hues Mother Nature can produce. These are vigorous plants with strong crowns that will produce an abundance of flowers, this spring. Next spring the plants will be larger and the display almost unbelievable. Here is something you have always wanted.

**Your Choice, Alike or Assorted, Postpaid**

**Each 75c, 3 for \$1.95**

**M 244 Giant Blue**

**M 246 Giant White**

**M 245 Giant Crimson**

**M 247 Giant Yellow**

**MM 248 One Each of Above 4 Colors**

**All 4 for \$2.35 Postpaid**

### PRIMROSES, MIXED COLORS

**M 249 Each 50c, 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.25 Postpaid**

A grand mixture of all the bright cheerful colors.

## Fall-Blooming Hardy Asters

**NEW FOR 1959! Pictured on Page 55**

Two years ago we imported over fifty new Asters from England (where most of the new varieties originate). Four of them were so outstandingly superior that we immediately decided that we would offer them as quickly as possible. Last fall these four Asters were again far better. Now this spring you can plant them in your garden and this fall you will agree with us that never have you had such lovely Aster flowers. Hardy, grow in most any ordinary garden soil, in full sun or part shade. Lassie, Marie Ballard, and Picture will make fine bushy plants around 30 inches tall. White Wings grows only about 2 feet tall. All are free-blooming, simply covering the plant. They start blooming in late summer and last into fall. Pictured on page 55.

**M 33 Lassie** is the most exquisite pink you ever saw, a delightful clear pink color, with not the least trace of lavender.

**M 37 Marie Ballard** is the finest blue we have ever seen, a charming medium shade of true blue.

**M 38 Picture.** Here is a red without purple tones, a bright shining color that is a tremendous improvement in red Asters.

**M 41 White Wings** is purest snow-white with golden center, the largest, most-perfect, most beautiful white Aster we have ever seen. Makes a neat, bushy plant wider than tall.

**Your Choice Above 4 Asters, Alike or Assorted**

**Each 75c, 3 for \$1.95 Postpaid**

**MM 40 One Each of All 4 Above Asters for \$2.35 Postpaid**

## DOUBLE PINK PAINTED DAISY, HELEN

**M 242 Helen** (*Pyrethrum*, Painted Daisy). This is a painted daisy with unique double flowers of gorgeous pink. Blooms profusely in late spring and early summer. The long graceful stems are fine for cutting, long-lasting and they give a light artistic touch to arrangements. Completely hardy, easy to grow.

**Each 75c, 3 for \$1.95 Postpaid**



# for 1959

**MM 40 NEW ASTER SPECIAL**  
 1 Lassie 1 Marie Ballard  
 1 Picture 1 White Wings  
 All 4 for only \$2.35 Postpaid

Aster,  
 Marie  
 Ballard

## PRIMROSE SPECIAL

**M 249 Mixed Colors, Postpaid**

**Each 50c**  
**3 for \$1.25**  
**6 for \$2.25**

*A grand mixture of many bright, cheerful colors*



Giant Primrose



Giant Primrose



Giant Primrose  
 Penstemon, Prairie Bells, below



Aster,  
 White  
 Wings

Aster,  
 Lassie

Red Aster, Picture  
 lower right



Purple Showers Hardy Hybrid Violet

## NEW PERENNIAL SPECIAL

**2 Asters, 1 Picture, 1 Marie Ballard**  
**2 Penstemon, Prairie Bells**  
**2 Primroses, Mixed Colors**  
**2 Violets, Purple Showers Hybrid**

**MM 99 All 8 for \$3.95 Postpaid**

*Value \$5.40*





Prairie  
Sunshine  
for  
Golden  
Thrill

Crimson Glory

Pink Quill



Frosty



Aristocrat



Golden  
Fantasy

## Inter-State's Finest

### "MUMS" ARE AMERICA'S FAVORITE FALL FLOWERS

Colorful, Long Lasting, Fine for Cutting • All Mums are Postpaid

**M 840 Pink Quill.** This new Mum from Lehman is wanted by all who see it. Very large, spidery quilled flowers 4 to 6 inches across (larger than pictured) of a delightful shell-pink with deeper center. Unique and attractive in the garden and simply marvelous for cutting. Makes a very bushy, rounded plant 2 feet tall. Starts blooming around September 25th. **Each \$1.00, 3 for \$2.50**

**M 820 Crimson Glory.** This is Lehman's sensational new red Mum. Almost exactly the same rich crimson color as the popular Crimson Glory Rose. Makes a rather upright, well-branched plant with striking deep red flowers 3 to 3½ inches across. Starts blooming in September and is a glorious sight for weeks. By far our best red Mum. **Each 85c, 3 for \$1.95**

**M 864 Prairie Sunshine**—You will recognize the picture in the top left as Golden Thrill. Due to the tremendous demand in past years we exhausted our supply so completely that we will not have enough to list until the spring of 1960. In place of Golden Thrill we are using Prairie Sunshine, large 3 to 4-inch, fully double flowers of the most brilliant yellow you ever saw. Grows 30 inches tall and is covered with gorgeous blooms from August until freezing, almost 3 full months of color. Created by Glenn Viehmeyer of Nebraska University, it is one of the greatest Mums in all America. **Each 85c, 3 for \$1.95**

**M 826 Frosty** (P.R.R.). A new Mum introduced by Inter-State spring 1956. Large, incurved flowers, much larger than pictured, 4 to 5 inches across, pure snow-white when open. The buds have a delicate lavender tinge. Starts blooming in mid-September and in a few days is almost a solid mound of white. It is the best early blooming, incurved white. **Each \$1.00, 3 for \$2.50**

**M 813 Aristocrat** has everything expected of a great garden Chrysanthemum. Large, fully double flowers, 3 to 4 inches across; vigorous plant with healthy foliage; clean, lovely color; perfectly formed flowers and a prolific bloomer. From mid-September until freezing the 2-foot plants are covered with the most delightfully colored flowers, a deep cerise with overtones of bright rose. **Each 85c, 3 for \$1.95**

**M 851 Golden Fantasy.** Introduced in 1957. Originated by the University of Minnesota, this distinctly different type Mum is certain to become one of our most popular varieties. The color itself is rewarding, a rich brilliant yellow. But the form is unique, resembling a huge greenhouse carnation. The 3-inch flowers cover the plant for several weeks beginning in mid-September. The most exciting new Mum we have seen in several years. **Each \$1.00, 3 for \$2.50**

MM 884 1 EACH OF ALL 12 MUMS ON PAGES 56 AND 57

ALL 12 FOR \$6.95

MM 882

### FAVORITE MUM SPECIAL

1 Each of All 6 Mums Pictured on page 56

1 Aristocrat

1 Frosty

1 Pink Quill

1 Crimson Glory

1 Golden Fantasy

1 Prairie Sunshine

All 6 for only \$3.95 Postpaid (Value \$5.55)





Bronze  
Giant

Dr. L. E. Longley

Ruby  
Breithaupt

## Garden Chrysanthemums

We guarantee this collection of 12 Mums to be the finest in America

All of the Mums we send you are growing, potted plants which we have tested and found to be the best for outdoor planting. Mums are usually shipped later and separately from other perennials and nursery stock. All Inter-State Mums carry the following guarantee. When they bloom in your garden next fall, if you are not delighted, you may select from our catalog, without cost, anything you wish equal to the amount you paid us for the Mums. All Mums Are Postpaid.

**M 822 Bronze Giant.** This new variety is one of Lehman's very best. Huge flowers, 5 inches or more across, of glorious, intense bronze. The vigorous upright plants grow 30 inches tall and produce dozens of magnificent blooms of our favorite fall color. Blooms mid-September until freezing. **Each \$1.00, 3 for \$2.50**

**M 825 Dr. L. E. Longley.** One of the finest of all Mums and by far the best of its color, an exquisite rosy-lavender. Starts blooming in late August and is simply covered for weeks with lovely 3-inch flowers. **Each 85c, 3 for \$1.95**

**M 858 Ruby Breithaupt.** A late introduction of Dr. Kraus and we consider it one of his best. This variety created more interest than any other Mum in trials last autumn. And no wonder, with its immense, informal type flowers and rich coloring. The vigorous 30-inch plants with luxuriant, deep green foliage are an attraction themselves. Starts blooming in late September with flowers of creamy-white deepening to primrose yellow in the center. You will enjoy it in your own garden this fall. **Each \$1.00, 3 for \$2.50**

**M 817 Butterscotch,** another new Kraus masterpiece, was a thrilling sight to see here at Hamburg last fall. From mid-September until freezing weather in late October, people who visited our nursery were fascinated by its panorama of color. The first flowers are a pure golden yellow. Then, they become a deep golden amber, one of the finest of all fall colors. The large 3½ to 4-inch semi-incurved flowers are borne in profusion on the healthy, 30-inch plants. **Each 85c, 3 for \$1.95**

**M 839 Purple Waters,** a Lehman creation, is the best large flowering purple Mum we know. The perfectly double, 3 inch flowers completely cover the 2-foot plants from mid-September until freezing. Striking in the garden or in bouquets. **Each 85c, 3 for \$1.95**

**M 834 Flamboyant.** For the most spectacular coloring in Mums, plant Flamboyant. It creates a parade of ever changing color from late August until early October. The 3-inch flowers open a bright tangerine-red changing to warm orange and then golden bronze. A star attraction in any planting. **Each 85c, 3 for \$1.95**



Butterscotch

Purple  
Waters

Flamboyant

MM 886

### ALL-SEASON MUM SPECIAL

Flowers from mid-August to freezing weather.

1 Bronze Giant      1 Dr. Longley      1 Purple Waters  
1 Butterscotch      1 Flamboyant      1 Ruby Breithaupt

1 Each of All 6 Mums pictured on page 57

All 6 for \$3.85 Postpaid (Value \$5.40)



Inter-  
State's

# Four Queens

America's Finest Cushion Mums  
For Glorious Fall Colors

## WILL GIVE YOU BUSHELS OF BLOOMS THIS FALL!

The illustrations below of "Inter-State's Four Queens" and one of our large fields of growing Mums are made from direct color photographs (Kodachromes). The individual plants were photographed in this field.

Yellow  
Queen

Crimson  
Queen

Bronze  
Queen

Purple  
Queen

Visitors last fall were amazed at the spectacular beauty of our fields of Mums. These New Varieties of Cushion Type Chrysanthemums were particularly outstanding. In the first place, they make perfect plants, about two feet tall and two to three feet wide. So full of flowers that you cannot see the foliage. They start blooming in early September and continue right up to severe frosts. They literally produce Bushels of Blooms. Marvelous coloring for the garden and you pick bouquet after bouquet and scarcely miss a flower. The flowers are two to two and one-half inches across and completely cover the entire plant.

We are so sure that these Four New Queen Mums will please you that we make this Guarantee—When they bloom this late summer and fall, if you are not delighted, you may select from our catalog whatever you wish equal to the amount you paid for them.

**M 815 Bronze Queen**—The flowers have perfect fall coloring, golden bronze with touches of copper and tangerine. A tremendous bloomer and the last flowers seem even more attractive than the first.

**M 824 Crimson Queen**—By far the finest Red Cushion Mum we have ever seen. The color is such a rich shining crimson. A perfect mound of bloom, about six inches lower than the other three varieties.

**M 843 Purple Queen**—When you see this for the first time, it really gives you a thrill. Most people never knew there was such a Mum. And there never was until this was introduced by us. No flower in your garden will create a greater sensation. The rich purple flowers are lovely from the first opening bud until severe freezes end the season weeks later.

**M 853 Yellow Queen**—The richest bright clear yellow, a color that lights up the entire yard. In the garden, in a bouquet, it is outstanding and a color that brings cheer and life. It is unequalled.

### YOUR CHOICE ABOVE FOUR VARIETIES, ALIKE OR ASSORTED

Each 75c, 3 for \$2.10, 6 for \$3.85, Postpaid

### QUEEN SPECIALS

1 Yellow Queen	1 Bronze Queen
1 Crimson Queen	1 Purple Queen
MM 893	

All 4 for only \$2.45 Postpaid

3 Yellow Queen	3 Bronze Queen
3 Crimson Queen	3 Purple Queen
MM 894	

All 12 for only \$5.95 Postpaid

**MUMS**—We send you growing potted Mum plants, which we have tested and found to be the best for outdoor planting. They are shipped later and separately from other perennials and nursery stock.



# All America Mums

These 7 great new Mums are Winners of the All America Mum Selections Award. They have been thoroughly tested in gardens in many sections of the United States where they proved to be the finest of all the varieties entered. Superior in flower, in color and in vigor of the plants. These are growing plants that will be shipped after danger of freezing weather is past.

**Your Choice 7 All America Mums Below**

**Each \$1.50, 3 for \$3.75 Postpaid**

## NEW 1959 ALL AMERICA MUMS

**M 805 Crimson Lady** (P.A.F.)—A charming combination of graceful form, brilliant color and vigorous plant makes this truly All-America. The abundance of rich red flowers in early fall will amaze you.

**M 806 Flair** (P.A.F.)—A glorious sight to behold—healthy plants covered with lovely, "lively" lavender flowers for many weeks in the fall. The blooms are 3 to 4 inches across, perfectly formed and fully double.

**M 807 Girl Friend** (P.A.F.)—This is the perfect Mum for cutting—large 4 inch flowers on long, strong stems. And the color is gorgeous, a fresh dawn pink. It makes a sturdy, upright plant, loaded with blooms in early September.

### 1959 ALL AMERICA MUM SPECIAL

**1 Crimson Lady**

**1 Flair**

**1 Girl Friend**

**MM 808 All 3 for \$3.65 Postpaid**

## 1958 ALL AMERICA MUMS

**M 801 Burning Bronze** (P.A.F.)—Opens mahogany-bronze becoming a brilliant fire of tangerine, bronze and orange. 3-inch flowers cover the handsome 2-foot plants.

**M 802 Emperor** (P.P. 1733)—Is simply a mound of golden-yellow 3-inch flowers in September.

**M 803 Ruby King** (P.A.F.)—The brilliant crimson shading to rich ruby-red are a dazzling mound of color September to frost. 15 inches tall and 18 inches wide.

**M 804 Showpiece** (P.A.F.)—Huge flowers, up to 5 inches across of sparkling royal-rose with silver reverse cover the plant September to frost.

## ENCHANTING NEW MUMS

We maintain each year one of the most extensive Mum tests in America. This year we had on trial here at Hamburg, more than 200 named varieties and numbered seedlings. From this extensive trial and test plantings we have selected the Mums listed on this page and pages 56, 57, 58 as the very best. Plant some this spring and you will have hundreds of colorful flowers from mid-August until severe frosts. Mums make delightful bouquets with their gay colors and they last for days. All Mums are Postpaid.

**Your Choice, Alike or Assorted, 7 Mums Below**

**Each 85c, 3 for \$1.95 Postpaid**

### AKSARBEN New, Unusual, Beautiful

**M 812 Aksarben** is the most unusually colored Mum we have ever seen—a golden "toast 'n honey" with reddish-bronze inside the petal points. The first of a new race of Mums from Viehmeyer, double quill style with perfect form. Delightful for arrangements, magnificent in the garden, you'll enjoy golden-brown Aksarben for many weeks in the fall.

### MINNPINK America's Finest Pink Cushion Mum

**M 841 Minnpink**—This is the finest pink cushion we have ever seen, one of the greatest of all cushion mums. It makes a perfect mound 2 feet tall, completely covered with hundreds of gorgeous rose-pink flowers from mid-September until frost.

**M 810 Apache**—Makes a well-branched plant 2 feet tall, covered with large flowers, 4 to 5 inches across. The petals are somewhat quilled, a fire-cracker red suffused golden-copper.

**M 835 Champagne**—An entirely new color in Mums, ivory-shell-pink, one of Lehman's best. Large flowers on strong, well-branched plants.

**M 836 King's Ransom**—The tall, upright plants are topped with huge flowers of shining golden-yellow. Healthy, vigorous plants 3 feet tall produce long stems excellent for cutting.

**M 837 Lady Fair**—The tantalizing recurved blossoms are a beautiful soft lavender shaded orchid-pink, 3 inches across. Tousled, cactus style flowers.

**M 846 Princess Kay**—Lovely, pure-white, fully-double flowers cover the healthy plants like a mound of snow. New from Lehman.

### NEW MUM SPECIAL

**One Each of All 7 Mums Above**

**1 Aksarben  
1 Apache**

**1 Champagne  
1 King's Ransom**

**1 Lady Fair  
1 Minnpink**

**1 Princess Kay**

**MM 892 All 7 for Only \$3.95 Postpaid (Value \$4.55)**

Girl Friend



Crimson Lady



Flair



Aksarben

Minnpink





*Pyrethrum (Painted Daisy), for attractive, long-lasting bouquets*

# INTER-STATE'S *Colorful Daisies*

**M 241 Pyrethrum (Painted Daisy)**—This is the superb Robinson strain, the finest we know. The flowers are larger and brighter colored, the most gorgeous reds, fine pinks and pure whites, all mixed to blend beautifully. Long stems fine for cutting. Blooms profusely in the spring and early summer. Grows about 24 inches tall. We are making a very special price so that you can plant them freely. The finely-cut foliage is attractive in itself when the plant is not in bloom. It can be used in bouquets and arrangements.

**2 for 85c, 4 for \$1.45, 8 for \$2.45, Postpaid**

## DAISY SPECIAL

**2 Painted Daisies      1 Marconi Fringed  
1 Improved Esther Read**

**MM 275 All 4 for \$1.65 Postpaid**

## SHASTA SPECIAL

**1 Improved Esther Read    1 Marconi    1 Giant Alaska**

**MM 273 All 3 for \$1.35 Postpaid**

## GIANT ALASKA

### SHASTA DAISY— *Pictured below*

**M 265** Few perennials can equal this for the astonishing number of cut flowers it will produce in June and July. Also attractive in the garden. Large, glistening white blooms with rich yellow center. Long 2-foot stems fine for cutting. Add just a little greenery and only a few of these flowers make a lovely bouquet. You can plant all Shasta Daisies either in full sun or with some afternoon shade. Strong, field-grown plants, that will bloom freely this season and even more next year. Daisies are one of our most popular perennials. With very little care or attention they will give you beautiful flowers for many weeks.

**Each 50c, 3 for \$1.25 Postpaid**

*Giant Alaska Shasta Daisy*



## IMPROVED ESTHER READ

### SHASTA DAISY— *at new, lower prices*

**M 267** For many years we have been searching for a double Shasta Daisy that would stand our winters. Here is one which has proven rugged enough to withstand our winter weather. The flowers are simply marvelous. Large, 3 to 3½ inches across, fully double, snow-white with a golden touch in the center. They commence blooming in early summer and continue right up into fall. The flowers come singly on long stems, fine for cutting. Each flower lasts a long time in the garden and also when cut. It is such a strong grower and free-bloomer, that you will get many bouquets **THIS VERY FIRST SUMMER.** And next summer a great deal more. Selected field-grown plants.

**Each 75c, 3 for \$1.95 Postpaid**

*Improved Esther Read Shasta Daisy*



## MARCONI FRINGED

### SHASTA DAISY— *Pictured below*

**M 263** There are several lovely fringed Shasta Daisies but this is the only one that we have found which will live and bloom for years. The flowers are large, 3 to 4 inches across, with narrow, frilled petals, snow-white with a bright yellow center. Flowers are borne singly on long stems, long-lasting in the garden and also when cut. Grows almost 2 feet tall and blooms very freely in late spring and early summer. A hardy, healthy, vigorous grower that can be divided every 2 or 3 years. At small cost you can have many dozens of lovely flowers. Will bloom this summer. We send you hardy, selected field-grown plants.

**Each 50c, 3 for \$1.25 Postpaid**

*Marconi Fringed Shasta Daisy*





# Glorious Perennials

## THAT BLOOM FOR WEEKS

### SALVIA PURPLE SPIRES

**M 253 Salvia Purple Spires** (Superba Compacta)—This grand new perennial is a sight to behold all summer. The spires of rich royal purple cover the entire plant for many weeks. And, if you cut off the old flowers, it will produce new blooms right up to frost. Perfectly hardy, easy to grow in full sun or part shade. It makes a vigorous plant 18 to 24 inches tall with attractive foliage. Be sure to add Purple Spires to your perennial garden this spring.

**Each 85c, 3 for \$1.95, Postpaid**



Salvia Purple Spires



Hollyhocks, above

### Perennial Sweet Peas

(Lathyrus) have long been a favorite of many flower lovers. The vine-type plants with their delightful flowers during July and August are marvelous for porches, trailing over banks, caves, trellis and fences. The flowers are larger than the annual sweet peas and are fine for cutting. The stems die down over winter and vigorous new growth comes from the roots each spring. Your choice, POSTPAID.

*Your Choice of Colors*

**M 283—Pink**

**M 284—Red**

**M 285—White**

**Each 40c, 3 for \$1.00**

**MM 286 One Each Above 3 Colors for \$1.00**

#### PERENNIAL SWEET PEAS

**Mixed Colors**

**MM 287 4 for \$1.00**



Perennial Sweet Pea

### Hollyhocks

**For a Colorful Background**

This is a magnificent strain with fully double flowers of exquisite colors. Growing 4 to 6 feet tall, they are very useful in the background of the perennial plantings. Postpaid.

**M 178—Rose**

**M 171—Red**

**M 173—Sunset**

**M 170—Pink**

**M 165—Lilac**

**M 175—Yellow**

**Your Choice, Each 45c, 3 for \$1.15**

**MM 177 One Each of All 6 Colors Above for \$1.85**

#### HOLLYHOCK SPECIAL

**MM 176 4 for \$1.00**

**Mixed Colors Postpaid**

### Red Coralbells

**M 160 Red Coralbells** (Heuchera) is an ideal plant for borders, edgings or rock gardens. It makes a neat compact plant with lovely, rich green foliage. The charming red flowers on graceful 12 to 15 inch stems are borne in profusion for several weeks starting in June. Their dainty blooms are a pleasing addition to bouquets or an artistic touch in your garden. This is an especially fine strain—richer color, hardy and more prolific bloomer. **Each 75c, 3 for \$1.95, Postpaid**

**M 350 Colorful Daylilies** (Hemerocallis), Mixed Colors. The tall, stately stems with the Lily-like flowers create a center of interest in any garden. Perfectly hardy, thrive in full sun or partial shade. They bloom right in the middle of summer when flowers are so scarce. Plant 1 to 2 feet apart. This is a fine mixture of colors, shades of pink, yellow, red and orange.

**Each 40c, 3 for \$1.00, 6 for \$1.75, Postpaid**

### Hardy Veronics

**M 291 Veronica, Icicle**—A new variety with pure white flowers on graceful spikes 15 inches tall. Blooms from midsummer into fall. Makes a healthy, vigorous plant with the richest dark green foliage, attractive in itself. Hardy, easy to grow, in sun or part shade. Fine in the garden or in bouquets. The more you cut it, the more it blooms.

**Each 75c, 3 for \$1.95, Postpaid**

**M 289 Veronica, Sunny Border Blue**—Should be in every garden. The deep blue flowers are produced from July into September on 18 to 24-inch stems. Hardy, it gets better each passing year. Especially fine in the garden border and excellent for cutting.

**Each 65c, 3 for \$1.65, Postpaid**

#### VERONICA SPECIAL

**MM 292 1 Sunny Border Blue 1 Icicle Both for \$1.00 Postpaid**

Below, Hardy Veronics





# Beautify Your Home

## Creeping Phlox STAYS GREEN ALL WINTER

**Creeping Phlox (Subulata)**—Grows scarcely 4 inches tall. Moss-like foliage stays green all winter. In the spring, completely covered with flowers. Thrives in sun or part shade. Fine for covering bare spots, for borders and edging, for rock gardens. Hardy, easy to grow.

M 216 Blue

M 217 Pink

M 218 Red

M 219 White

**Your Choice, Alike or Assorted**

**Each 50c, 3 for \$1.35, 6 for \$2.35, Postpaid**

**MM 215 1 Each of all 4 Colors Creeping Phlox Above for \$1.60, Postpaid**

## GYP SOPHILA SPECIAL

**1 Bristol Fairy  
1 Oldhamiana Pink  
1 Snow White**

MM 147

**All 3 for \$1.25 Postpaid**

*Creeping Phlox, for covering bare spots*

## Gypsophilas Pictured at right

Mix a little lime with the soil before planting all Gypsophilas. All are hardy, prefer sunny spot and make bushy plants 2 to 3 feet tall.

**M 149 Gypsophila, Bristol Fairy**—Large panicles of small, perfectly double white flowers produced profusely all summer. A favorite for bouquets. Our plants are grafted.

**Each 75c, 3 for \$1.85, Postpaid**

**M 148 Gypsophila, Oldhamiana Pink**—Masses of light pink flowers August to frost. Lovely in the garden, fine for cutting.

**Each 40c, 3 for \$1.00, Postpaid**

**M 150 Baby's Breath, Snow White** (Gypsophila Pan. fl. pl.)—In July-August, completely covered with very small double white flowers. Lovely in the garden, unequalled for bouquets. This is best for winter use.

**Each 40c, 3 for \$1.00, Postpaid**

## STOKESIA BLUE DANUBE

*New Improved Stoke's Aster*

**M 280 Stokesia, Blue Danube.** This fine perennial should be in every garden. The large rich blue flowers reach 5 to 6 inches across, blooming from June to September. It makes a neat compact plant that produces strong stems 12 to 18 inches tall topped with gorgeous flowers. Easy to grow, perfectly hardy and blooms profusely all summer. This is a new, improved variety which gives you more and larger flowers than Blue Moon.

**Each 75c, 3 for \$1.95, Postpaid**

**M 211 Nepeta, Blue Wonder** (Ground Ivy). This makes a perfect ground cover as it grows only 8 inches tall and 1½ to 2 feet wide. The foliage is an attractive silvery-gray. Bright blue flowers all summer.

**Each 40c, 3 for \$1.00, Postpaid**

**M 26 Artemisia, Silver Mound** is one of the most striking new hardy perennials. Grows less than a foot tall and 12 to 15 inches wide. The color of the fernlike foliage is the most pleasing, clearest silver-gray you ever saw. Wonderful for borders. Prefers a sunny location but does well in part shade.

**Each 75c, 3 for \$1.95, Postpaid**

## Canterbury Bells

**Canterbury Bells**—In May-June completely covered with bell-shaped flowers. 2 feet tall. Prefer full sun. Your choice of Blue, Pink or White. Postpaid.

M 65 Blue

M 66 Pink

M 67 White

**Your Choice, Each 45c, 3 for \$1.15**

**MM 62 One Each of All 3 Colors for \$1.00**

**M 64 Mixed Colors**

**Each 40c, 3 for \$1.00, Postpaid**

*Stokesia Blue Danube, below*

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*Artemisia, Silver Mound, below*

*Canterbury Bells, below*





# WITH COLORFUL, HARDY PERENNIALS

INTER-STATE'S  
EVERBLOOMING

## Delphiniums

**M 100 Cliveden Beauty**—Many think this is the finest of all light blue flowers. Grows 3 to 4 feet tall and after the first great burst of bloom in early summer, it repeats at intervals. A healthy grower that lasts for many years. Lovely in the garden and very fine for cutting. **Each 45c, 3 for \$1.15, 6 for \$1.95, Postpaid**

**M 101 La Martine**—This fine plant should be in every garden. The rich dark blue flowers are so lovely in the garden and for cutting. A great mass of flowers in early summer and at intervals all summer. When you cut a flower spike, another grows out to bloom later on. A healthy grower, 4 feet or so tall, lasts for years. **Each 45c, 3 for \$1.15, 6 for \$1.95, Postpaid**

**M 102 Pacific Hybrids**—The individual flowers are very large, often 2½ inches across on spikes 3 to 4 feet long. The colors range from white, sky-blue to deep blue, purple, violet and exquisite shades of orchid-pink. The plants grow 5 to 7 feet tall. Cut the stems after the first great burst of bloom and they will repeat. **Each 60c, 3 for \$1.45, 6 for \$2.45, Postpaid**

MM 103

### DELPHINIUM SPECIAL

2 Cliveden Beauty

2 La Martine

2 Pacific Hybrids

**ALL 6 FOR \$1.95**

Postpaid



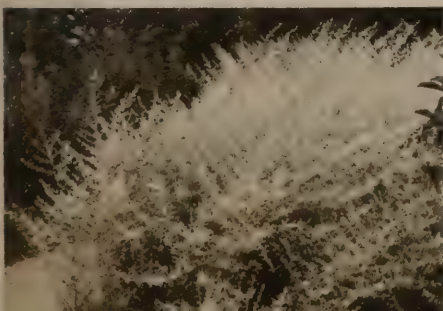
*Sedum Dragon's Blood, above*

### SEDUM Dragon's Blood

**M 130** Pictured above. A low growing perennial which is ideal for rock gardens, edging, banks or borders. Grows only 3 to 4 inches tall and is covered with brilliant red flowers for several weeks June to August. Hardy, easy to grow in ordinary soil. This is an improved variety which we rate with the best. **Each 75c, 3 for \$1.95, 6 for \$3.45, Postpaid**

**M 25 Artemisia, Silver King**—This hardy plant is highly prized because of its frosty silvery-white foliage. It is attractive in the garden and much used in bouquets and arrangements. Also can be cut and kept for winter use. Grows 2 to 3 feet tall, in sun or a little shade, any ordinary soil. Once planted, it will come up year after year. **Each 50c, 3 for \$1.25, Postpaid**

*Artemisia, Silver King, below*



**M 239 Plumbago**—The open flowers are a rich blue, the tiny buds a bronzy-red, giving the entire plant a beautiful and unusual appearance. Always in bloom from July to frost. For an edging plant or a low growing solid bed, it simply cannot be beat. Grows only 6 to 8 inches tall. **Each 65c, 3 for \$1.65, Postpaid**

**M 224 Blue Stars** (Platycodon)—Lovely, large, deep blue flowers that look like stars. Bloom all summer on graceful 20-inch stems. Hardy, lasts for years, without special care. **Each 40c, 3 for \$1.00, Postpaid**

**M 21 Achillea, Emerald Isle** (Millifolium). Develops into a rounded plant 12 to 15 inches tall which produces white flowers on long stems during the summer. But the real beauty of this plant is the rich green coloring of its fern-like foliage. Ideal for borders. **Each 50c, 3 for \$1.35, Postpaid**



*Pacific Hybrid Delphiniums*

**NOTICE**—Our experience shows that perennials do better when planted after the ground begins to warm up. Therefore, we ship perennials 2 weeks or so later than Roses, Shrubs and Trees which can be planted earlier. If you order both perennials and Roses, Shrubs or Trees, you will receive 2 or more shipments before your order is complete.

### Hardy Grenadin Carnations

These are becoming popular because they are not only lovely in the garden but are fine for cutting. The flowers are very fragrant and come on long stems. Bloom freely in early summer and at intervals thereafter. Grow 18 to 20 inches tall. They are hardy but in cold sections we recommend a light winter mulch to prevent alternate freezing and thawing.

#### Your Choice

**M 72 Red**

**M 75 Pink**

**M 74 White**

**M 73 Yellow**

**Each 45c, 3 for \$1.15, Postpaid**

#### M 76 Mixed Colors

**Each 40c, 3 for \$1.00**

*Hardy Grenadin Carnations, below*







## LILY-OF-THE-VALLEY

**M 193** Everybody loves these delightfully fragrant white flowers pictured above. They thrive in full shade on the north side of your home against the wall where few plants will live. They also do just as well right out in the full sun. We send you clumps of 5 to 7 Pips which will bloom this season.

**Each 50c, 3 Clumps for \$1.25 Postpaid**



*Plantain Lily, above*

**M 226 Plantain Lily** (Funkia Sub. Grand.) Pictured above. Especially fine for shady places but it also grows in the sun. Grows 18 inches tall with attractive large deep green leaves. The flowers are large, pure white, fragrant and resemble Easter Lilies when fully open. Blooms freely in August and September.

**Each \$1.25, 3 for \$2.95 Postpaid**

**M 228 Variegated Plantain Lily**—Similar to the one pictured above only the leaves are attractively variegated with silvery-white. The lilac-colored, bell-shaped flowers bloom on 18 inch spikes.

**Each 75c, 3 for \$1.95 Postpaid**

## Hardy Ferns

Many ask us "What can I plant in shady places?" Among the very best, are these Hardy Ferns. They thrive in the shade. That is their natural home. Perfectly hardy, they come up year after year.

**M 120 American Maidenhair**—Fine on north side. Grows a foot tall.

**M 121 Hayscented**—Grows in semi-sunny places as well as shade. 12 to 18 inches tall.

**M 122 Interrupted**—Good for foundation planting in shade or part shade. 2 to 4 ft. tall.

**M 123 Lady**—Pictured. Likes the shade. 1 to 2 feet tall.

**M 124 Ostrich Plume**—Especially fine for a shady, rather moist spot. 2 to 4 feet tall.

**YOUR CHOICE ABOVE FERNS, LARGE PLANTS POSTPAID**

**Each 50c**

**3 for \$1.35**

**MM 119 One Each of All 5 Ferns above for only \$1.95, Postpaid**

## Perennials FOR SHADY SPOTS

### Bleeding Heart

(OLD FASHIONED)

**M 58 Bleeding Heart, Old Fashioned**—A favorite in Grandmother's garden half a century ago, it is equally popular today. Grows 2 feet tall. Thrives in partial shade, but will grow in full sun. Attractive foliage. Graceful heart-shaped pink flowers in April-May. The plant becomes larger, more beautiful, each passing year.

**Each 85c, 2 for \$1.45, Postpaid**

**M 60 Bleeding Heart, Fern Leaf (Eximia)**—Lovely pink flowers are produced continuously from late spring right through summer into fall. Fern-like foliage is very attractive. Grows a foot tall in sun or shade. Hardy, easy to grow. Fine border plant.

**Each 60c, 3 for \$1.45, Postpaid**



*Bleeding Heart, Old Fashioned*

### Fancy-leaved Caladium

For a continuous foliage display from late spring to frost, no other plant equals these. Easy to grow, in sun, partial shade, even full shade. In the fall before freezing weather, dig and store like Cannas. Or you can pot them for winter use indoors. Make stunning arrangements. Plant 4 inches deep in late spring after ground warms up. You can have Mixed Colors or Separate Colors, Red, Pink or White. These are first quality bulbs. Naturally the Large Bulbs have more eyes than the smaller and will produce more foliage. For an earlier start, it is best to pot the bulbs and keep them indoors until all danger of frost is past.

**Your Choice of Colors, Postpaid**

**B 55 White    B 56 Red    B 57 Pink**

Selected Bulbs, 1 to 1½ inches across

**Each 35c, 3 for 90c, 6 for \$1.50**

Large Bulbs, 1½ to 2 inches across

**Each 50c, 3 for \$1.35, 6 for \$2.50**

**B 59 MIXED COLORS, POSTPAID**

Selected Bulbs, 1 to 1½ inches across

**Each 30c, 3 for 75c, 6 for \$1.25**

Large Bulbs, 1½ to 2 inches across

**Each 45c, 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.25**



*Fancy Leaved Caladium*

*Lady Fern, below*





# A Parade of Color from Spring to Fall

## Helenium Copper Spray

FOR BRILLIANT FALL COLOR

**M 157 Helenium Copper Spray** (Kupfersprudel). This new perennial makes a bushy plant 3 to 4 feet tall and almost as wide. From early August to frost it is completely covered with hundreds of brilliant flowers, 1½ inches across, in shades of copper, bronze, orange and red. In its season, no other flower can match its brilliance. Hardy, easy to grow, in sun or part shade. Once planted, lasts for years, increasing in beauty each passing year. Striking in the garden and excellent for cutting. The color is more vivid than pictured. This is not only the best Helenium we know but it is one of the best of all hardy perennials. POSTPAID.

**Each 60c, 2 for \$1.00**

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**—If you order Perennials, Mums, Bulbs or Clematis and also Roses, Shrubs, Trees or Fruit Plants, The Roses, Shrubs, Trees, etc. will be shipped first. Then, 2 weeks or so later (depending on the weather), you will receive the Perennials, Mums, Bulbs or Clematis. We make separate shipments as our experience shows Perennials do better when planted after the ground warms up. Roses, Shrubs, etc. can be planted earlier.



*Helenium Copper Spray, above*



*McKana's Giant, America's Finest Columbine (Aquilegia)  
All America Award Winner*

## McKana's Giant Columbine

ALL AMERICA AWARD WINNER

**M 85 McKana's Giant Columbine** is the first and only perennial ever to win the All America Seed Selections Award. Plant them in your garden and you will see for yourself this very spring why they won this coveted award. The flowers are huge, many 4 inches across, with 4 to 5-inch spurs, far larger than any other Columbine we have ever seen. The colors are simply exquisite, vivid yet not bold or gaudy, shades of red, rose, pink, yellow, cream, white, lavender, purple, blue, some self-colored, but mostly pleasing combinations. We assure you that they are far more beautiful and attractive and larger than pictured. Our field-grown plants will all bloom for you this spring, the Larger Select Plants will naturally produce more flowers. They grow 2 to 3 feet tall, thrive in ordinary soil and prefer slight shade. Hardy, they will come up year after year. Lovely in the garden and add grace and beauty to a bouquet. Grown in a grand assortment of colors, mixed, a beautiful harmonious blend. POSTPAID.

**Select Plants . . . Each 50c, 3 for \$1.15, 6 for \$1.95**  
**No. 1 Plants . . . Each 40c, 3 for .90, 6 for 1.45**

*Dianthus, Pink Princess, below*

## Pink Princess AMERICA'S FINEST DIANTHUS

**M 114 Pink Princess**, introduced spring 1956, is the finest new hardy Dianthus. A creation of Dr. Hildreth of the U.S.D.A. Horticultural Field Station, Cheyenne, Wyo. The plant pictured is only a few months old. Allow it a year to become established and you will be amazed that it could possibly produce so many flowers. Develops into a plant over a foot across. Starts blooming in late April and for many weeks it is absolutely covered with dozens and dozens of the lovely fringed fragrant pink flowers. Grows less than a foot tall. Use it as a border, or a group, or anywhere you want a low-growing, free-blooming perennial of great appeal. We send you potted, growing plants, just right for planting, and ready to bloom.

**Each 75c, 3 for \$1.95, 6 for \$3.25 Postpaid**



### PINK PRINCESS SPECIAL

**2 Dianthus, Pink Princess**

**2 Helenium Copper Spray**

**3 Columbine, McKana's Giant, select**

**MM 116 All 7 for \$2.95 Postpaid**





Japanese Iris

# These Easy-to-Grow

Will Make Your Garden Sparkle

## Japanese Iris, THE RAINBOW IRIS

**M 182 Japanese Iris**, Kaempferi, The Rainbow Iris. Called Children of the Gods in early days because of their gorgeous colors. Few plants can compare with them for spectacular beauty. Bloom in June and July. Large flat flowers, some as large as dinner plates, atop strong stems nearly 3 feet tall. The foliage itself is attractive. When planting, cover the crown with 2 inches of soil. Like a sunny spot, rich soil and abundant moisture, especially early in the season and when blooming. They like an acid soil (the average soil is slightly acid), and will not tolerate lime. Grown from coast to coast. Priced low for extra fine plants. This spring we can supply only a fine mixture of many colors: white, blue, purple, yellow, pink.

**Mixed Colors Each 50c, 3 for \$1.35, 6 for \$2.45 Postpaid**

### M 182 JAPANESE IRIS

A grand mixture of many colors

**Each 50c, 3 for \$1.35**

**Postpaid**



©Coreopsis, Golden Shower, Above

## New, Hardy Everblooming Carnations

These 5 new, improved varieties bloom constantly June to Frost, providing many colorful bouquets as well as garden beauty. Fragrant, double flowers on 15 to 18 inch stems except Sweet Memory is 10 inches. Winter mulching is beneficial. Postpaid.

**Your Choice, Alike or Assorted**

**Each 85c, 3 for \$2.25, 6 for \$3.95**

**M 70 Sunny Day**—Big flowers, a lovely clean yellow. The best hardy yellow garden Carnation we know. Sold only by Inter-State.

**M 55 Improved Flame**—New in 1955 and sold only by us. Bright scarlet-crimson.

**M 78 Sweet Memory**—Lovely flowers, white with maroon center. Best white.

**M 68 Dubonnet**—Beautiful wine colored blooms. Richer color than pictured.

**M 77 Pink Beauty**—Large full double, fragrant flowers of lovely pink. Sold only by Inter-State.

### MM 71 CARNATION SPECIAL

- 1 Dubonnet
- 1 Improved Flame
- 1 Pink Beauty
- 1 Sweet Memory
- 1 Sunny Day

**All 5 for only \$2.95**  
**Postpaid**



## Coreopsis, Golden Shower

**M 89 Coreopsis, Golden Shower.** This is one of our best hardy new perennials. The bright yellow star-like flowers, 1 to 1½ inches across, are produced for many weeks right through the hottest summer weather. The bright green, feathery foliage is attractive in itself. Makes a neat, bushy plant 24 to 30 inches tall that will brighten up a dull corner or add color to a border.

**Each 50c, 3 for \$1.25, Postpaid**

## Achillea, Golden Plate

**M 22 Achillea, Golden Plate** is a new variety that every woman who sees it, wants. It is attractive in the garden and simply marvelous for arrangements. Grows 3 feet tall with a large flat cluster of buttercup yellow at the top of each stem. Blooms all summer. We have found it very easy to grow. It prefers a sunny spot but will stand some shade. Any ordinary soil will do. Cut when the flowers are fully yellow and they will keep perfectly for winter use.

**Each 65c, 3 for \$1.65 Postpaid**

Achillea, Golden Plate

Above, Sunny Day. . . Top Left, Dubonnet. . . Top Right, Pink Beauty. . . Bottom Left, Sweet Memory. . . Bottom Right, Improved Flame.

### MM 20 GOLDEN SPECIAL

- 1 Coreopsis, Golden Shower
- 1 Achillea, Golden Plate
- 1 Carnation, Sunny Day

**All 3 for \$1.65**

**Postpaid**





# Hardy Inter-State Perennials

With Color from June to Frost



## Dianthus Little Joe FOR BORDERS AND GARDENS

**M 112 Dianthus Little Joe** is pictured at right in a clump and a single flower actual size. It makes a compact, bushy plant only 6 inches tall, with handsome blue-green foliage all year through. The rosy-red flowers, 1 inch across, are produced constantly from spring to freezing. Unexcelled for borders, in sun or part shade. Perfectly hardy with us, lasts for years. Postpaid.

**Each 75c, 3 for \$1.95, 6 for \$3.45**



*Dianthus Little Joe, above*

*Morden Rose Lythrum, below*

### LYTHRUM SPECIAL

**1 Morden Rose  
1 Imp. Morden Pink  
1 Dropmore Purple**

MM 205

**All 3 for \$1.45  
Postpaid**



## New Canadian Lythrum

We consider these 3 New Canadian Lythrum the finest varieties we have seen. The Lythrum is one of our best perennials. Perfectly hardy, it will come up year after year with more and more spikes covered with bright, colorful flowers. The plants themselves are attractive, so neat and shapely and with an abundance of glossy, dark green foliage which becomes a fascinating reddish-purple in the fall. ALL VARIETIES OF LYTHRUM WE SELL, WILL BLOOM THIS SUMMER, starting in early July and continuing until September. Grow 3 to 4 feet tall. Postpaid.

**M 207 Lythrum, Morden Rose.** Considered by many experts as the best of all Lythrum. The flowers are a rich rose-red. **Each 60c, 3 for \$1.45**

**M 202 Lythrum, Improved Morden Pink.** The most popular variety in America. Covered with bright pink flowers. **Each 60c, 3 for \$1.45**

**M 201 Lythrum, Dropmore Purple.** Comes up year after year producing more and more spikes covered with lovely rosy-purple flowers. **Each 60c, 3 for \$1.45**

## Penstemon Indian Jewels

**M 237 Penstemon Indian Jewels** (Flat-head Hybrids). New for 1959, another creation of Mr. Glenn Viehmeyer of the Nebraska Experiment Station of North Platte, Nebraska. Indian Jewels captures all of the beauty and vigor of the native Penstemons of the western prairies with the exquisite form of the garden varieties. They bloom over a period of many weeks in early summer and, if the old stems are cut off, new stems will appear producing even more flowers. The colors range from beautiful shades of red from crimson to scarlet and rose, charming hues of pink, lavender, purple and even a few touches of blue. Introduced at a very low price for an outstanding new perennial. Select field-grown plants. Postpaid.

**Each 50c, 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.25**

### PENSTEMON SPECIAL

BOTH NEW FOR 1959

**3 Indian Jewels**

**3 Prairie Bells, page 55**

**MM 234 All 6 for \$1.95 Postpaid**

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*Penstemon Indian Jewels, below*



*Vinca Minor, above*



## Vinca Minor, OUR BEST GROUND COVER

**M 259 (Periwinkle).** Flowers pictured actual size. This is an improved strain with more and larger flowers. Glossy foliage stays green, summer and winter. A profusion of bright blue flowers in early summer. Fine for covering banks and bare spots. Thrives in full shade, even under trees where grass will not thrive. Excellent for edging and borders. We send you 4 divisions in a bunch. Plant these divisions 4 to 6 inches apart and in a year or two you will have a solid carpet of green. This Vinca not only is good for planting in shady, hard-to-grow places but it also grows in full sun. Postpaid.

**Bunch, Each 40c, 3 for \$1.00, 12 for \$3.45**





Prosperity Lily

### SPRING-TO-FROST LILY SPECIAL

All of the following varieties of Lilies are listed on pages 68 and 69 (see page 73 for Hardy Amaryllis). You will have lovely flowers THIS SEASON from late spring, through summer and into fall. All are hardy.

- |                   |                         |
|-------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 Auratum         | 1 Improved Regal, Large |
| 1 Crimson Beauty  | 1 Mid-Century           |
| 1 Prosperity      | 1 Philippine            |
| 1 Giant Olympic   | 1 Red Coral             |
| 1 Hardy Amaryllis | 1 Rubrum                |

BB 67 All 10 for only \$4.45 Postpaid (\$6.45 value)



Improved Regal Lily

### Improved Regal Lily, AMERICA'S FAVORITE

B 82 This Creelman Hybrid is far better than the regular Regal. Larger flowers, more of them, richer color and more vigorous. Blooms in June-July on strong stems 3 to 4 feet tall. Great clusters of the lovely, fragrant flowers, a lustrous snow-white with a golden throat. Plant them 7 inches deep. They will come up year after year, increasing in number and beauty. WILL BLOOM THIS SUMMER, the Giant size producing more flowers. POSTPAID.

	Each	3 for	6 for
Large Bulbs (7 to 8 inches around).....	65c	\$1.65	\$2.95
Selected Bulbs (6 to 7 inches around).....	50c	1.35	2.35

### Beautiful Rubrum Lily

B 65 Rubrum. Many think this is the most beautiful of all hardy Lilies. Flowers are bright pink edged white, with small maroon spots. Blooms in August and September on strong stems 3 to 4 feet tall. The reflexed wavy flowers are lovely in the garden and fine for cutting. Will bloom this summer. Please note we send you Giant Size Bulbs 8 to 9 inches around, which are far better than smaller sizes.

Giant Bulbs (8 to 9 inches around)  
Each 85c, 3 for \$1.95, 6 for \$3.45 Postpaid



Rubrum Lily, below

## INTER-STATE'S *Exciting*

All the Lilies we list are hardy and under normal conditions will come up year after year. But we recommend that in cold sections you put on a winter mulch to prevent alternate freezing and thawing. They can be planted in full sun but afternoon shade will make the flowers even more beautiful and they last longer.

ALL THE LILIES WE SEND YOU WILL BLOOM THIS SEASON

### Prosperity Lily NEW FOR 1959

B 66 Prosperity. We have been watching this enchanting new Lily in our trials for several years. Now, for 1959, there is a large enough supply that we can offer them at this unusually low price for a new variety. Extremely vigorous and perfectly hardy, Prosperity will be sensational in gardens all over America. It grows 3 to 4 feet tall and produces more and more strong stems every year, each stem topped with 6 to 10 lovely lemon-yellow flowers. Prosperity is a hybrid selection from the world's most famous Lily hybridizer, Jan de Graaff. Be sure to add it to your garden this spring. They will bloom this summer, June-July—large, beautiful flowers—so charming and graceful for both the garden and bouquets. Postpaid.

Large Bulbs (5 to 6 inches around) . . . Each 85c, 3 for \$1.95, 6 for \$3.45



# New Hardy Lilies

## Mid-Century Hybrid Lilies

**B 88 Mid-Century Hybrid Lilies.** An outstanding cross which was thought impossible until accomplished recently by Jan de Graaff. Very hardy, they grow and thrive everywhere even under adverse conditions. The range of colors is superb, shades of yellow from canary to gold, apricot, pinks, rose, salmon, many shades of red. The blooms come in clusters on strong stems 3 to 4 feet tall. Plant in a well-drained spot, full sun or partial shade, 7 inches deep. They will come up year after year, multiplying and increasing in beauty. Beautiful in the garden and excellent for cutting. Top Size Bulbs (5 to 7 inches around)

**Each 60c, 3 for \$1.45, 6 for \$2.45, Postpaid**

**B 81 New Golden Clarion Trumpet Lily.** Has created a greater sensation in Flower Shows throughout the world than any other Lily. Huge trumpets 6 inches long and 6 inches across, ranging from exquisite lemon-yellow to rich golden-yellow. Postpaid.

**Large Bulbs (7 to 8 inches around) . . . . . Each \$1.50, 3 for \$3.75**

**B 79 Giant Olympic.** The huge, trumpet-shaped flowers are 7 to 9 inches long and 5 to 6 inches across in shades of yellow, pink to white with a golden throat and shades of pink on the outside. Postpaid.

**Large Bulbs (6 to 7 inches around) . . . . . Each 65c, 3 for \$1.65**

**B 83 Philippine Lily, White Superior (Formosanum).** Delightfully fragrant, trumpet-shaped flowers, 7 to 8 inches long of pure white. Blooms in mid-August on stems 4 to 6 feet tall.

**Selected bulbs (4 to 5 inches around) . . . . . Each 50c, 3 for \$1.35**

**B 84 Red Coral Lily (Tenuifolium).** The small, fragrant, bright red flowers are so attractive in late spring and early summer. Grow 18 to 24 inches tall. Especially fine for rock gardens and nooks. Postpaid.

**Top Size Bulbs (4-6 inches around) . . . . . Each 35c, 3 for 85c, 6 for \$1.45**



Mid-Century Hybrid Lilies

## Gold Banded *Auratum Lily*

**B 68** One of the loveliest hardy garden Lilies. The flowers are even larger than pictured, huge trumpets, 5 to 7 inches across. They are waxy white with small crimson spots and each petal has a center stripe of golden yellow. When established the stems are 4 to 6 feet tall with up to 25 flowers on a single stem. Blooms from late July into September. So fragrant that a single cluster will perfume a room. Plant 7 inches deep. WILL BLOOM THIS SUMMER. Postpaid.

**Giant Bulbs (8 to 9 inches around)**

**Each 85c, 3 for \$1.95, 6 for \$3.45**

*Auratum Lily, below*



*Crimson Beauty, above*

## *Crimson Beauty Lily*

**B 80** The striking flowers of this fine Lily are much larger and more attractive than pictured above. The color is a distinctive crimson. Blooms freely in early summer in upright clusters, on stems 18 to 20 inches tall. After it is established, it is nothing unusual to have 25 flowers on a single stem. Very hardy and easy to grow, thrives everywhere all over America. Plant 7 inches deep. It will come up year after year, for a lifetime, getting more beautiful each passing year. Postpaid.

**Selected Bulbs (5 to 7 inches around) . . . . . Each 65c, 3 for \$1.75**

### GARDEN OF LILIES, Postpaid

<b>Auratum</b>	<b>Prosperity</b>	<b>Crimson Beauty</b>
<b>Rubrum</b>	<b>Improved Regal, Large</b>	<b>Mid-Century</b>

**BB 71 1 Each of All 6, All 6 for \$3.95**

*We will include FREE 1 New Golden Clarion Lily, worth \$1.50*

**BB 72 3 Each of All 6, All 18 for \$9.95**

*We will include FREE 3 New Golden Clarion Lilies, worth \$3.75*



INTER-STATE'S

# Grand Champion Glads

Out of the hundreds of Gladiolus varieties we selected these 5 as the very finest. They are true Grand Champions. In the Gladiolus shows throughout America each variety wins the Blue Ribbons for its color and Spic and Span is recognized as the greatest of all Glads today. When they bloom this summer, if you are not thrilled, just tell us so and your money will be refunded and no questions asked. Wonderful long spikes, perfect flowers 4 to 6 inches across, gorgeous bouquets of breathtaking colors. POSTPAID.

*Lief Erickson, exciting new chartreuse Glad, is described on page 72.*

## GRAND CHAMPION SPECIAL, Postpaid

10 Florence Nightingale  
10 Gold  
10 Noweta Rose  
10 Sans Souci  
10 Spic and Span

### LARGE BULBS

YY 112 All 50 for \$3.95  
FREE 6 Lief Erickson worth 90c

### MEDIUM BULBS

YY 113 All 50 for \$2.95  
FREE 6 Lief Erickson worth 70c

## GRAND CHAMPION SPECIALS, Postpaid

5 Florence Nightingale  
5 Gold  
5 Noweta Rose  
5 Sans Souci  
5 Spic and Span

### LARGE BULBS

YY 110 All 25 for \$2.35  
FREE 3 Lief Erickson worth 50c

### MEDIUM BULBS

YY 111 All 25 for \$1.75  
FREE 3 Lief Erickson worth 40c

20 Florence Nightingale  
20 Gold  
20 Noweta Rose  
20 Sans Souci  
20 Spic and Span

### LARGE BULBS

YY 114 All 100 for \$6.95  
FREE 12 Lief Erickson worth \$1.65

### MEDIUM BULBS

YY 115 All 100 for \$4.95  
FREE 12 Lief Erickson worth \$1.25

## Doubly Guaranteed

1. Guaranteed to please you when you get the bulbs.
2. Guaranteed to please you when they bloom this summer.



Noweta Rose

Gold

Florence Nightingale

Spic and Span

Sans Souci

Finest of  
All Flowers  
for Cutting

Much Larger  
Than Pictured



# Inter-State's Glads

## DOUBLY GUARANTEED

1. Guaranteed to please you when you get the bulbs.
2. Guaranteed to please you when they bloom this summer.

When you receive the bulbs, if you are not satisfied, return just one-half of them and we will refund the money you paid us for all of them. When they bloom, if you are not delighted, you may select from our catalog, without cost, anything you wish equal to the amount you paid us for the glads. Finest of all flowers for cutting.

### NEW VARIETIES • BETTER COLORS • LARGER SPIKES

Here we offer you one of the finest selections of Gladiolus (Glads for short) in America. Many are new, all are good. The ratings mentioned under various varieties below are the results of the voting by the Gladiolus Symposium, which is made up of both Exhibition and Commercial growers. They have excelled in form, flower placement, vigor and color. Glad bulbs are ideal gifts for a relative or friend. We will ship direct to them, Postpaid, enclosing a gift card with your name.

Because we take great care in selecting our Glads we sell them by the millions, sending them to every state. We offer 2 sizes of bulbs. The **LARGE** are 1 1/4 to 2 inches across (diameter) and the **MEDIUM** are 1 to 1 1/4 inches across. All will bloom this summer, the larger bulbs producing bigger spikes. They are so easy to grow. Plant them 5 to 6 inches deep and 6 inches apart. Make your first planting when you make your early garden. Then make several plantings, 2 weeks apart and you will have the lovely flowers for many weeks. Takes around 75 days from planting to blooming. **ALL GLADS ARE POSTPAID.**



Sparkler—left, Joyous—right, All America Glads for 1959

## Glads By Color

This special offer is made for those who enjoy fine Glads by separate colors, yet do not care to bother keeping record of the names. The same beautiful varieties as listed on pages 71 and 72 are included, each color sacked separately. The **MEDIUM BULBS** are 1 to 1 1/4 inches across (diameter) and the **LARGE BULBS** are 1 1/4 to 1 1/2 inches across (diameter). Both sizes will bloom this summer but the larger bulbs produce longer spikes. **WE GUARANTEE BOTH SIZES TO PLEASE YOU, WHEN YOU GET THE BULBS AND ALSO WHEN THEY BLOOM THIS SUMMER.** We have selected the six most popular colors. If you bought these very same Glads by name, they would cost you considerably more. **Postpaid.**

	Red	Purple	White	Yellow	Lavender	Pink
YY 140	30 Medium Bulbs ( 5 each of all 6 colors)for					<b>\$1.35</b>
YY 141	60 Medium Bulbs (10 each of all 6 colors)for					<b>2.25</b>
YY 142	120 Medium Bulbs (20 each of all 6 colors)for					<b>3.95</b>
YY 143	30 Large Bulbs ( 5 each of all 6 colors) for					<b>1.95</b>
YY 144	60 Large Bulbs (10 each of all 6 colors) for					<b>3.45</b>
YY 145	120 Large Bulbs (20 each of all 6 colors) for					<b>5.95</b>

## GLAD VARIETIES

**Y 13 Burma**—Rated by the Gladiolus Symposium as the best of its color, a glowing rosy-red. Large, perfect, ruffled flowers. One of the greatest Glads of all time.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large....	40c	70c	\$1.25	\$2.25
Medium..	25c	45c	.85	1.50

**Y 20 Dolly Varden**—A true Giant Glad with flowers blooming at eye level. The broad petaled flowers are a beautiful shade of salmon-pink with a showy white center. The tall, vigorous spikes will have 8 to 10 flowers open at once.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large....	50c	90c	\$1.65	\$2.95
Medium..	40c	70c	1.25	2.15

**Y 27 Elizabeth the Queen**—This variety is one of the finest lavenders we ever saw. Flowers are large, beautifully ruffled and the most exquisite lavender you could imagine. It is so beautiful that it has been our most popular Glad for several years. Everybody who sees it wants it.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large....	50c	90c	\$1.65	\$2.95
Medium..	40c	70c	1.25	2.15

**Y 25 Elmer's Rose**—One of the highest rated of all Glads, this new variety is a gorgeous, glistening rose color. 8 to 10 exquisitely ruffled florets open at one time on tall, stately spikes. It will be one of your favorites.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large....	50c	90c	\$1.65	\$2.95
Medium..	40c	70c	1.25	2.15

## ALL AMERICA GLADS AT NEW, LOWER PRICES

These new All America Glads were selected after years of testing by Gladiolus judges from all sections of America. They were judged as to beauty of color, flower form and placement, flower opening, size of spike and vigor. We guarantee them to please you.

Your Choice, 5 All America Glads, below. Postpaid.

Large Size Bulbs, Each 35c, 3 for \$1.00, 12 for \$3.45

## ALL AMERICA GLADS FOR 1959

**Y 95 Joyous** (P.A.F.)—The large ruffled florets of rich, velvety rose are borne in elegant splendor on strong stems 4 to 5 feet tall. The perfect form, rich color and tremendous spikes make this a winner in any garden.

**Y 98 Sparkler** (P.P. 1741)—This charming new glad is a gay combination of sparkling clear yellow with a bright red throat. Beautiful, ruffled flowers, tall, strong spikes that are lovely in a bouquet or eye-catching in the garden.

1957 and 1958 All America Glads, see prices above

**Y 93 Caribbean** (P.P. 1654). 1957 Winner. Large flowers, rich blue-violet with a deep violet throat accented by a cream spear.

**Y 96 Emperor** (P.P. 1655)—1958 All America Winner, a spectacular combination of regal purple with ermine-white throats.

**Y 94 Maytime** (P.P. 1591). 1957 All America Winner. Ruffled deep, pure pink florets with contrasting large white throats.

**YY 97 1 Each of All 5 All America Glads, All 5 for \$1.50**

**Y 24 Evangeline**—This new variety is the tallest and largest Glad we have ever seen. Eight to ten huge ruffled blooms open at once on tremendous spikes fully five feet tall. The top light pink.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large....	50c	90c	\$1.65	\$2.95
Medium..	40c	70c	1.25	2.15

**Y 19 Dark David**—The deep velvety crimson flowers are ruffled to perfection. The huge florets are perfectly placed on tall, strong stems. The best "black" red, new and outstanding.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large....	50c	90c	\$1.65	\$2.95
Medium..	40c	70c	1.25	2.15

**Y 29 Florence Nightingale**—The highest rated of all white Glads both by exhibition growers and by the florists. The tall spikes, large flowers, beautifully ruffled, snow-white with light ivory throat are impressive both in the garden and in a bouquet, truly a Grand Champion. Pictured on page 70.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large....	40c	70c	\$1.25	\$2.25
Medium..	25c	45c	.85	1.50

**Y 30 Francesca**—Ruffled light lavender with a cream throat. Tall, stately spikes with 7 to 8 flowers open at one time. New and outstanding.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large....	50c	90c	\$1.65	\$2.95
Medium..	40c	70c	1.25	2.15



**Y 26 Fire Gleam**—Large glowing scarlet-red. The beautifully ruffled flowers on tall straight spikes with the brilliant color make this one of the top new red glads.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large....	50c	90c	\$1.65	\$2.95
Medium..	40c	70c	1.25	2.15

**Y 28 Friendship**—Beautifully ruffled, perfect form on tall straight stems and the color is the purest pink with an ivory-white throat and a frosty sheen over the entire flower as if sprinkled with powdered stars.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large....	40c	70c	\$1.25	\$2.25
Medium..	25c	45c	.85	1.50

**Y 33 Gold**—By far the highest rated of all yellow Glads by those who are the final judges of a great flower, the florists. The perfect spikes are almost five feet tall of the most beautiful, ruffled, rich golden-yellow flowers. When you see it bloom you'll know why it always wins the Blue Ribbons. Pictured on page 70.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large....	50c	90c	\$1.65	\$2.95
Medium...	40c	70c	1.25	2.15

**Y 34 Golden Sunshine**—Huge, 5 to 6 inch flowers of the most pure golden yellow we have ever seen. When enough bulbs are available, we predict it will become America's favorite yellow.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large...	75c	\$1.35	\$2.35	\$3.95
Medium.	60c	.95	1.65	2.95

**Y 35 Harry Hopkins**—The flowers of this new Glad are enormous, perfect form and the color is a rich ruby-wine that fairly glistens and does not fade or fleck.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large....	40c	70c	\$1.25	\$2.25
Medium..	25c	45c	.85	1.50

**Y 43 King David**—This has been a show winner since it was first introduced. The rich, velvety purple flowers have a faint silver picotee. The tall, tapering spikes reach over 4 feet tall.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large....	50c	90c	\$1.65	\$2.95
Medium..	40c	70c	1.25	2.15

**Y 44 Leif Erickson**—We call this new variety the "Chartreuse Glad." The buds are a delicate chartreuse opening to lovely ruffled flowers of deep cream. It is rated the No. 1 Cream both by the exhibition and commercial growers. A vigorous, healthy variety with 7 to 9 flowers open at once. For something new, unusual and beautiful plant some this spring.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large...	50c	90c	\$1.65	\$2.95
Medium.	40c	70c	1.25	2.15

**Y 41 Lorelei**—The most talked about new Glad in America today. The lovely ruffled florets of glistening pure cream are beautifully displayed on tall graceful spikes. Healthy bulbs that produce strong stems with large enchanting flowers.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large....	50c	90c	\$1.65	\$2.95
Medium..	40c	70c	1.25	2.15

**Y 51 Mother Fischer**—This and Florence Nightingale are rated as the finest of all white Gladiolus. Both are magnificent. Every bulb of Mother Fischer will produce a perfect spike of beautifully ruffled flowers as pure white as new fallen snow.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large....	50c	90c	\$1.65	\$2.95
Medium..	40c	70c	1.25	2.15

**Y 54 Noweta Rose**—Carl Fischer, one of America's top hybridizers, considers this his most sensational Glad. A true Grand Champion. Straight, strong spikes often 5 feet tall with flowers 5 to 6 inches across, ruffled, a sparkling deep lavender-rose. Plant the bulbs an inch or two deeper than others because the spikes are so tall and heavy. Pictured on page 70.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large....	50c	90c	\$1.65	\$2.95
Medium..	40c	70c	1.25	2.15

**Y 58 Pactolus**—This new Glad is the most spectacular and brilliantly colored we have ever seen. Reminds you of a bright setting sun in an amber evening. The flowers are nicely ruffled, a glowing apricot-gold with brilliant orange-red blotch.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large...	40c	70c	\$1.25	\$2.25
Medium..	25c	45c	.85	1.50

**Y 59 Palette**—The most unusually colored glad we have ever seen, brilliant vermilion red with a purple blotch. For those of you who want the very latest and something different yet beautiful, try Palette this spring.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large...	50c	90c	\$1.65	\$2.95
Medium.	40c	70c	1.25	2.15

**Y 62 Picardy**—For many years this was America's most popular Glad. The color is a beautiful light salmon-pink. You may have some but you always want more.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large...	40c	70c	\$1.25	\$2.25
Medium..	25c	45c	.85	1.50

**Y 67 Red Charm**—Without question this is one of the very best crimson Glads grown today. The flowers are large, perfect form, many open at once and come on tall straight stems, all reasons why it is the highest rated deep red.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large...	40c	70c	\$1.25	\$2.25
Medium..	25c	45c	.85	1.50

**Y 74 Salman's Glory**—The name is confusing. Salman is the name of the originator and not the color. In fact it is a huge creamy-white with a large red blotch edged yellow. Big, stately, tall spikes.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large...	40c	70c	\$1.25	\$2.25
Medium..	25c	45c	.85	1.50

**Y 75 Salman's Sensation**—America's top rated blue Glad far better than Ravel or Blue Beauty. The spikes are simply huge, up to 5 feet tall with 15 to 20 florets of enchanting violet blue. This is truly the "sensation" of all Mr. Salman's great Glad introductions.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large...	50c	90c	\$1.65	\$2.95
Medium.	40c	70c	1.25	2.15

**Y 65 Sans Souci**—Far brighter than pictured on page 70. We picked this new scarlet—as the best of all the new red Glads. Its easy grace, perfect form and glowing color makes it a standout in any planting or any bouquet. Fast becoming an all time favorite with the florists. You will find it on the Grand Champion table at every show.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large....	50c	90c	\$1.65	\$2.95
Medium..	40c	70c	1.25	2.15

**Y 71 Sierra Snow**—Considered one of the finest new whites. The name is perfect for the tall, strong spikes with large flowers as white as new fallen snow. Many large, ruffled florets open at once. Should be in every glad garden.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large...	50c	90c	\$1.65	\$2.95
Medium.	40c	70c	1.25	2.15

**Y 77 Southern Belle**—One of the finest new novelties. A rich pink with contrasting ivory throat overlaid with a smoky haze of silvery blue. Tall, perfect spikes of ruffled flowers so unusual and different yet lovely and charming.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large...	50c	90c	\$1.65	\$2.95
Medium.	40c	70c	1.25	2.15

**Y 63 Sparkling Eyes**—One of the most startling, eye-catching glads we have ever seen, sparkling white with a glowing purple blotch in the throat. Magnificent for bouquets, appealing in the garden.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large....	50c	90c	\$1.65	\$2.95
Medium..	40c	70c	1.25	2.15

**Y 79 Spic and Span**—Recognized as the greatest of all Glads regardless of color. This Grand Champion is the highest rated of all Glads both by Exhibition and Cut Flower Growers. It has everything a winner should have, beautiful flowers, perfect form, wonderful spikes, excellent grower and rich color. Produces 20 or more ruffled, deep pink flowers on extra long spikes which never crook. Pictured on page 70.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large....	40c	70c	\$1.25	\$2.25
Medium..	25c	45c	.85	1.50

**Y 73 Spotlight Yellow**—Now and then a new variety is created which seems to stand head and shoulders above everything else. Here is just such a Glad. Large blooms of perfect form. The color is a clean, clear, yet brilliant yellow with small red mark in the throat which greatly enhances its beauty.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large....	40c	70c	\$1.25	\$2.25
Medium..	25c	45c	.85	1.50

**Y 78 Sweet Sixteen**—A pure sparkling light pink that we have never seen in any other flower. Perfectly formed and perfectly spaced flowers on tall stately spikes reaching 5 feet have made this a favorite with glad lovers everywhere.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large...	50c	90c	\$1.65	\$2.95
Medium.	40c	70c	1.25	2.15

**Y 76 The Rajah**—We rate this new Glad as the finest, most beautiful of all purples. The tall spikes are almost shoulder high, with large ruffled flowers of lustrous true-purple. Makes an ordinary bouquet a prize winner. Every bulb will produce a perfect spike.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large....	50c	90c	\$1.65	\$2.95
Medium..	40c	70c	1.25	2.15

**Y 81 Traveler**—A delicate rose-lavender. We rate this great new glad better even than the famous Elizabeth the Queen. Traveler has taller spikes, more flowers, finer color. Be sure to try some this spring.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large...	50c	90c	\$1.65	\$2.95
Medium.	40c	70c	1.25	2.15

**Y 57 Viking**—This bright scarlet with bold white lines is named for the rugged Norsemen. Healthy, vigorous bulbs produce tall, ramrod straight spikes with 15 to 20 large florets. One of the best new red glads.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large....	75c	\$1.35	\$2.35	\$3.95
Medium..	60c	95c	1.65	2.95

**Y 55 Violet Charm**—One of the most unusually colored glads we know, an elegant shade of light lavender-violet with a deeper violet blotch in the throat tipped with a rich cream. Pleasingly ruffled flowers are perfectly placed on tall, strong spikes.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large....	50c	90c	\$1.65	\$2.95
Medium..	40c	70c	1.25	2.15

**Y 83 White Goddess**—Very new and conceded to be right at the top of the large ruffled whites. A magnificent spike, very heavily ruffled flowers of heavy substance.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large....	40c	70c	\$1.25	\$2.25
Medium..	25c	45c	.85	1.50

**Y 84 White Gold**—When this blooms in your garden, you will call over the neighbors. The size is huge, the color is a satiny white shading to gold. We think every Glad we list is beautiful but here is one that not only is beautiful, it is impressive, it is amazing.

	3 for	6 for	12 for	25 for
Large....	40c	60c	\$1.25	\$2.25
Medium..	25c	45c	.85	1.50

## INTER-STATE'S GIANT-FLOWERING GLADS

America's Finest Collection of Mixed Gladiolus Pictured and described on the catalog envelope. Postpaid.

YY 105	50 Fine Bulbs for \$1.75, Free 5 Elizabeth the Queen
YY 101	50 Large Bulbs for \$2.75, Free 5 Elizabeth the Queen
YY 106	100 Fine Bulbs for \$2.95, Free 10 Elizabeth the Queen
YY 102	100 Large Bulbs for \$4.95, Free 10 Elizabeth the Queen





*Hardy Amaryllis, above*

**B 151 Hardy Amaryllis** (*Lycoris Squamigera*). It is possible to offer this remarkable bulb at such low prices only because we sell them by the tens of thousands. Finest quality bulbs that will thrive and bloom in your garden for years, with more and more beautiful flowers each year. This amazing bulb produces attractive green foliage in the spring. The foliage then dies down. In August the flower stalks shoot up 2 feet tall with large Lily-shaped flowers, a lovely orchid-pink. There are often 8 to 12 flowers on a single stem. Postpaid

**Large Bulbs (5-7 inches around). Each 50c, 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.25**

**P 303 Camellia-Flowered PRINCESS BEGONIAS** will provide a continuous, beautiful display of flowers from early summer until frost, from a shady spot in your garden. They are also fine for indoor bloom. These are the double Camellia-type, gorgeous in the garden and perfect for bowl or saucer use. These are Large Bulbs, 1½ to 2 inches across, in thrilling array of colors, copper, crimson, pink scarlet, white and yellow.

**Mixed Colors, Each 45c, 3 for \$1.15, 6 for \$1.95, Postpaid**

### 3 NEW HYBRID LILIES

These magnificent hybrid Lilies are the creations of the world's most famous Lily hybridizer, Jan de Graaff. Hardy, easy to grow all over America, they will bloom for you this summer and for years to come. Plant where they receive light shade part of the day. Postpaid.

**B 86 Pink Perfection Trumpet Lily**—Produces stately stems 4 to 6 feet tall topped with huge clusters of enchanting pink flowers in July.

**Selected Bulbs (5 inches or more around). Each \$1.50**

**B 89 Emerald Trumpet Lily**—New, rare beauty. Flowers are icy green with emerald stripes down the outside of the petals.

**Selected Bulbs (5 inches or more around). Each \$2.00**

**B 77 Golden Sunburst Hybrid Lily** (*Aurelian*)—These new hybrids are the most vigorous, healthy, and prolific of any hardy Lily we know. Each year they produce more and more beautiful bowl-shaped, reflexed flowers. The range of colors is from soft creamy-yellow through radiant pure yellow to golden orange. The strong 4 to 6 foot stems with dozens of lovely flowers are splendid in the garden or for bouquets.

**Large Bulbs (6 to 7 inches around). Each \$1.50, 3 for \$3.75**

**BB 78 One Each Above 3 Lilies for \$3.00**

*Golden Sunburst Hybrid Lilies. below*



*Cinderella Hanging Basket Begonias, above*

**Just Imagine—up to 100 magnificent flowers from each bulb!**

A fascinating "conversation piece", these dramatic delightful Cinderella Hanging Basket Begonias, created by Antonelli Brothers, give cascades of color in any shady, quiet spot. The double, Camellia type blooms come in a breathtaking range of colors, red, orange, white, yellow and especially lovely pink. Perfect for patio, terrace, veranda or porch, this supremely beautiful Begonia is offered this year for the first time in its improved form, by Inter-State. For the "talk of the neighborhood" try some of these extraordinary Begonias this spring. Your Choice of Colors, Alike or Assorted, Postpaid.

**P 340 Pink**  
**P 341 Red**

**P 342 White**  
**P 343 Yellow**

**P 344 Orange**

**Large Bulbs, 1½ to 2 inches across. Each 75c, 3 for \$1.95**



*Camellia-flowered Princess Begonias, above*

### New ROSE-FORM BEGONIAS

Begonias, the most beautifully colored of all flowers, are now available in the ultimate classical form, that which closely resembles the rose. Created by Frank Reinelt, the double blooms often reach 6 inches or more across, sensational in size, color and form. These are large, healthy bulbs, 1½ to 2 inches across that will bloom profusely all summer in radiant colors including white, pink, red, orange and yellow.

**P 348 Mixed Colors, Each 60c, 3 for \$1.50 Postpaid**

*Rose Form Begonias, below*







## Plant Inter-State's Large Flowering *Giant Cannas* For Continuous Bloom Early Summer to Frost

No other flower will give as brilliant a display all summer and fall as a bed or border of Cannas. WE SEND YOU BIG, EXTRA FINE BULBS. These larger bulbs will produce more and better flowers. Plant them in full sun in good soil when the ground warms up in late spring. Do not plant too early or they will rot in the ground. Water freely in dry weather. Plant 2 inches deep and 18 inches apart each way. As the picture shows, Annuals (see pages 76 to 79) make fine borders for Canna Beds. Among the best are Glitters Petunias, Royal Carpet and Carpet of Snow Alyssum, Persian Carpet Zinnias, Red Head Marigolds, Bachelor Buttons and Nasturtiums. All Cannas are Postpaid.

### CANNA SPECIAL, Postpaid

6 **Richard Wallace**, yellow  
6 **Hungaria**, pink  
6 **President**, red

BB 107 All 18 for only \$2.95

3 **Richard Wallace**  
3 **Hungaria**  
6 **President**

BB 108 All 12 for only \$2.25

### CANNA BED No. 1

This makes a round bed 7 feet across, 1 Canna in center, 5 in 1st row and 12 in 2nd row. Plant 18 inches apart. Postpaid.

1 **Red King Humbert**  
5 **Richard Wallace** 12 **President**

BB 102 All 18 Bulbs for \$2.95

### BIG BULBS, Varieties Alike or Assorted, Your Choice Postpaid

Each 35c, 3 for 85c, 6 for \$1.45, 12 for \$2.45

B 90 **City of Portland**—Beautiful, large flowers of rich, rosy-pink with deep green foliage. Grows only 3½ feet tall.

B 91 **Richard Wallace**—Clear bright yellow. Large flowers right up to frost. Green foliage, grows 4 feet tall.

B 93 **Hungaria**—One of the finest pink cannas. Large heads of broad petaled flowers, a bright glowing rose-pink. Green foliage. 4 feet tall.

B 97 **President**—For many years this has been America's favorite Canna. All through the season it produces large bright red flowers. Grows 4 feet tall. Green foliage.

B 94 **Red King Humbert**—Large, brilliant orange-scarlet flowers until frost. Purple-coppery-bronze foliage, 4½ feet.

B 98 **Yellow King Humbert**—Large flowers of golden yellow heavily flecked with red. Green foliage. 4½ feet tall.

BB 101 One Each of all 6 Cannas above for \$1.35 Postpaid

### PRESIDENT SPECIAL

BB 99 25 **President Cannas** for \$3.85 Postpaid

A solid bed of President Cannas is a grand sight all summer and fall to frost.



### TIGER FLOWER

**Aztec Tiger Flower** (Tigridia)—The flowers are so strikingly beautiful that nothing in your garden will draw as much attention. Grows 24 inches tall. The blooms are huge, often 6 inches across. Each flower lasts but a day, opening at dawn, following the sun in its course, then passing at sunset. This goes on all through the summer. Large size, No. 1 bulbs, 1 inch or more across (diameter).

B 60 **Pink** B 61 **Red**  
B 62 **White** B 63 **Yellow**

Your Choice Postpaid

4 for 65c, 7 for \$1.00

BB 64 Two Each of 4 Above Colors  
All 8 Bulbs for \$1.00 Postpaid

### TUBEROSE

Mexican  
Single Flowered

B 299 Flower spikes 30 to 36 inches tall, with very fragrant, waxy-white flowers from July to frost. Very fine cut flower as a single spike will perfume a room. Often 20 or more flowers on a single plant. Grows in full sun or part shade. Plant the bulbs outdoors after all danger of frost is over and the ground has become warm, covering with 2 inches of soil. For earlier blooms, you can start them indoors in pots and transplant outdoors when danger of frost has passed. They are attractive in the border and excellent for cutting. Dig in the fall and store just like Glad bulbs. Our Large best quality No. 1 Bulbs will produce far more flowers than the small No. 2 size.

Large No. 1 Bulbs, Postpaid  
3 for 65c, 5 for \$1.00



# Grow Prize Dahlias

Dahlias are the largest and most beautifully colored of all the late summer and fall flowers. Easy to grow, we send simple planting instructions with every order. For exhibition, nip off the side branches allowing only a few main stems to grow. For lots of flowers, nip the ends of the main shoots when only a foot or so tall, making them branch. A young, small to medium-size bulb will do much better than a large, sappy, over-grown bulb. Even though Dahlias are planted late, we suggest that you order them early. They will keep perfectly in a moderately cool place, until planting time. ALL DAHLIAS ARE POSTPAID.

**Just look at these low prices for fine Dahlias**  
**—All will bloom this late summer and fall.**

## Giant Dahlias

**B 6 Avalon**—We rate this the best all-around yellow Dahlia. Perfectly formed large flowers freely produced on strong stems. Starts blooming early in the season and keeps it up until frost. Never fails to please you. . . . . **Each 65c**

**B 17 Commando**—Immense, deep flowers almost a foot across of enchanting lilac-blue. One of the most spectacular Dahlias we have seen. It certainly has won many blue ribbons. . . . **Each 75c**

**B 24 Sunrays**—New and very scarce. The huge, 10 to 12 inch flowers are a gorgeous buff-bronze. When this blooms in your garden you will call your friends and neighbors to show off this magnificent Dahlia . . . . . **Each 85c**

**B 25** →  
**Pride of Holland**—the finest, most beautiful pink Dahlia ever created. Cactus type flowers, 5 to 6 inches across. **Each \$1.00.**



You who delight in raising large blooms will want these six outstanding Dahlias. Give them a little attention and you can grow flowers as large as dinner plates, 8 to 10 inches across, and brilliant as a beacon light.

**B 19 Man-O-War**—A sensational new variety, by far the finest red we have ever seen. The huge flowers are a striking rich crimson, 8 to 10 inches across on strong stems. . . . . **Each 85c**

**B 21 Rosy Morn**—This new variety is absolutely the finest giant pink we have ever seen. The loveliest, brightest, glowing pink. Very free blooming on strong stems. . . . . **Each 85c**

**B 13 Kemp's White Wonder**—The best all purpose white we know. The flowers are large, perfect shape, freely produced on strong stems, all through the season. . . . . **Each 65c**

### GIANT DAHLIA SPECIAL, Postpaid

BB 30      One Each Above 3 Dahlias only **\$1.65**  
 BB 29      Two Each Above 3 Dahlias only **\$2.75**

### MAN-O-WAR SPECIAL, Postpaid

BB 32      One Each Above 3 Dahlias only **\$1.75**  
 BB 33      Two Each Above 3 Dahlias only **\$2.85**

### PRIZE DAHLIA SPECIAL BB 46 1 each of all 6 Dahlias above for only \$2.85 Postpaid

**FREE**—Without extra cost we include with each collection BB 46 1 Pride of Holland (worth \$1.00) the most beautiful pink Dahlia ever created.

## INTER-STATE'S Color Dahlia Special

### OUR 4 MOST POPULAR COLORS LARGE FLOWERING, FREE-BLOOMING

For those who do not care to keep the names separate but nevertheless want fine Dahlias these are ideal. These are all large flowering, free-blooming, but they are labeled as to color only. Moreover, we have found from years of experience these are the four most wanted colors in Dahlias:

**1 Pink      1 Yellow      1 Red      1 White**

**BB 2 All 4 for \$1.45 Postpaid**

### MIXED DAHLIAS

Choice mixture of fine large flowered Dahlias

**BB 31 4 for \$1.25 Postpaid**

## Show (Ball) Dahlias

These are also called Ball Dahlias. They are small, 2 to 3 inches across. Tremendous bloomers, from early in the season to frost. The flowers come singly on long stems, attractive in the garden and especially fine for cutting. Every day, in season, you can cut a bouquet. The colors are so clean, bright and cheerful, and blend beautifully. Plant them freely, you will be richly rewarded.

### Your Choice Alike or Assorted Postpaid

**B 36 Pink      B 37 Red      B 42 Lavender Blue**  
**B 38 White      B 39 Yellow**

**Each 40c, 4 for \$1.35**

**BB 40 One Each Above 5 Colors for \$1.45 Postpaid**

## Button Dahlias

These Button (Pompon) Dahlias have small flowers 1½ inches across, perfect in form. Produced continuously for many weeks. Beautiful in the garden, fine for cutting, rich glowing colors. The bulbs are smaller than the larger varieties but it is astonishing how freely they bloom.

**B 4 MIXED COLORS Each 40c, 3 for \$1.00 Postpaid**



# All-America Seed Winners



**PETITE MARIGOLDS** 1958 All-America Winner

Here are ideal edging plants, the most dwarf growing of double French Marigolds. They grow only 5 to 8 inches tall and are covered with brilliantly colored 1 to 1½ inch flowers. Available in 3 color ranges or a glorious mixture of all 3 colors.

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|--|-----------------|
| 861 <b>Petite Orange</b> —orange.        | <b>Pkt. 35c</b> |
| 862 <b>Petite Gold</b> —gold.            | <b>Pkt. 35c</b> |
| 863 <b>Petite Harmony</b> —mahogany.     | <b>Pkt. 35c</b> |
| 864 <b>Petite Mixed</b> —3 colors above. | <b>Pkt. 35c</b> |

## 1958 ALL-AMERICA SPECIAL

- 1 Pkt. **Petunia, Maytime**  
 1 Pkt. **Marigolds, Petite Orange**  
 1 Pkt. **Marigolds, Petite Gold**  
 1 Pkt. **Marigolds, Petite Harmony**

855 All 4 for only **\$1.25**  
 Postpaid



**Alyssum, Pink Heather**, 1959 All-America Winner

866 **Alyssum, Pink Heather**—The only All America Winner for 1959. Pink Heather is a soft lavender-pink. It grows about 6 inches tall and spreads to 10 inches across, perfect for edging, bedding, rock garden or pot plants. Easy to grow and they bloom continuously from mid-summer until frost. It may be started early for transplanting or seeded direct in the open ground. One of the best garden flowers.

**Pkt. 35c**

## 1959 ALL-AMERICA SPECIAL

- 1 Pkt. **Alyssum, Pink Heather**  
 1 Pkt. **Petunia, Maytime**  
 1 Pkt. **Marigolds, Petite Mixed**

856 All 3 for only **95c**  
 Postpaid



**PETUNIA MAYTIME** 1958 All-America Winner

865 **Petunia, Maytime**—Another new color in the F<sub>1</sub> Hybrids, the finest of all Petunias, a lovely light salmon-pink. The ruffled and fringed edges also add to the exquisite beauty of the large 3½ inch flowers. An outstanding grandiflora, vigorous, free-blooming that makes a compact plant 12 inches tall and over a foot wide.

**Pkt. (150 seeds) 50c**

854 1 Packet Each of All 8

All-America Winners Listed

on This Page for only **\$1.95**

Postpaid (Value \$2.95)



**PETUNIA, GLITTERS**, 1957 All-America Winner

858 **Petunia, Glitters**—This new F<sub>1</sub> Hybrid is the first real red and white bicolored Petunia to win an All America Award. Makes a compact plant only 8 inches tall, excellent for bedding, borders and edgings. The 2-inch flowers cover the plants from late spring to frost. And it is lovely in arrangements. The red and white star effect is remarkably uniform in all Glitters' flowers. This was the brightest Petunia in our trials last season, a Fire Chief red with pure white stripes. Healthy and vigorous.

**Pkt. (150 seeds) 35c**



**PHLOX, TWINKLE**, 1957 All-America Winner

860 **Phlox, Twinkle**—This new annual phlox is simply covered with a twinkling mass of star-shaped flowers from July to Frost. Makes a delightful bedding or edging plant only 6 inches tall. Comes in an enchanting array of mixed colors, shades of pink, salmon to rose, reds, lavender and purple, some solid colored, others in brilliant bicolor combinations.

**Pkt. 35c**



**PETUNIA, RED SATIN**, 1957 All-America Winner

859 **Petunia, Red Satin**—This new All America Winner is the richest red of all Petunias. It is even more brilliant than Comanche, a lively bright orange-red. Red Satin is a F<sub>1</sub> hybrid multiflora type that blooms constantly all summer and fall up to frost. A vigorous grower that makes a compact mound about a foot across and less than a foot tall. By far the outstanding red Petunia in our trials last summer.

**Pkt. (150 seeds) 35c**



# INTER-STATE'S GUARANTEED-TO-GROW FLOWER SEEDS!

Almost every gardener wants a flower garden. It takes such little space for the beauty and pleasure it gives, not only for the color it gives to the garden, but also for cut flower bouquets. Any home is more beautiful when it has a flower garden. A few cents will furnish flowers all season.

We offer you the finest, most popular flower seeds, personally selected and thoroughly tested. These are the finest that money can buy. Complete planting instructions are on every packet. The figure following the name gives the average height in inches when in bloom. ALL SEEDS ARE POSTPAID.

## Free!

Make your seed order total \$2.00 or more and we will include free some packets of seeds worth 45c or more.

### ASTERS

*For Late Summer Beauty*

**Wilt Resistant Asters**—If you have had any trouble raising Asters, try our Wilt Resistant Strains. They are more vigorous and productive, giving an abundance of flowers.

**117 Aster Double Mixed, Wilt Resistant (30)**—Our mixture of many double varieties gives a lovely variety of colors. **Pkt. 15c**

**116 Aster, Giant Branching Mixed, Wilt Resistant (30)**—Their branching habit and vigorous growth give a profusion of bloom and vivid colors. Very double. **Pkt. 15c**

**112 Aster, Early Giants, Mixed, Wilt Resistant (20)**—This is a very early type of Giants of California that blooms 4 to 5 weeks ahead of the regular strain. The flowers are extremely double in an extra choice selection of colors. **Pkt. 15c**



ASTER

### NASTURTIIUMS

*Thrive in the poorest of soil*

**172 Nasturtium, Dwarf Mixed (10)**—The most popular dwarf annual, easy to grow in poor soil, and blooms for weeks. In rich colors, fine for beds and borders. **Pkt. 15c**

**173 Nasturtium, Dwarf Semi-Double Gem Mixed**—A wide range of pastel and sharp colors. **Pkt. 15c**

**175 Nasturtium, Double Glorious Gleam Hybrids**—Large, Double, sweet-scented blooms in striking colors. **Pkt. 15c**

**174 Nasturtium, Gleam Fiery Festival**—A new deep luminous scarlet to brighten your garden. **Pkt. 15c**

### 5-BEST GIANT

#### DAHLIA - FLOWERED ZINNIAS

**Crimson Monarch**    **Scarlet Flame**  
**Canary Bird**        **Blaze**  
**Royal Purple**

811 All 5 Packets for only **65c** Postpaid  
(Regular 85c value)

### ZINNIAS

*For Color from Midsummer Till Frost*

**Zinnia, Giant Dahlia Flowered (30)**—Immense Dahlia-like flowers with petals that seem to be piled one upon the other.

**251 Finest Mixed, dahlia type.** **Pkt. 15c**

**252 Canary Bird, rich yellow.** **Pkt. 15c**

**253 Crimson Monarch, crimson.** **Pkt. 15c**

**254 Royal Purple, rich purple.** **Pkt. 15c**

**256 Scarlet Flame, scarlet.** **Pkt. 15c**

**258 Zinnia, Red Riding Hood (16)**—Compact plants literally covered with double scarlet flowers. Lilliput type. **Pkt. 15c**

**803 Zinnia, Persian Carpet (16)**—All-America Award winner in 1952. Flowers only 1½ inches across in perfect form, like a tiny dahlia, ranging in color combinations of gold, bronze and orange. **Pkt. 25c**

**257 Zinnia, Pompon or Lilliput (20)**—The rich, bright colors make this baby Zinnia very popular. **Pkt. 15c**

### ZINNIA GARDEN

**Blaze**  
**Ortho-Polka**  
**Burpee's Giant Hybrids**  
**Giant Dahlia Flowered Mixed**  
**Pompon or Lilliput Mixed**

Blooms all summer to frost.

900 All 5 Packets for only **85c**  
Postpaid



*New Ortho-Polka Zinnias, above*

**250 Zinnia, Ortho-Polka (36)**—An outstanding new Zinnia. Far superior to Peppermint Stick Zinnia, with flowers twice as large (4 inches across) and brighter colors. The broad, fully double flowers come in the most striking color combinations such as pink, rose, red, or purple with white; red, orange, scarlet with yellow and many others. The plants are vigorous, healthy, drought resistant with strong, long stems for cutting. **Pkt. 25c**

**807 Zinnia, Blaze**—The only All-America Winner for 1954. This fiery beauty is outstanding for the uniform doubleness of its fluffy, quilled petals. Blaze bursts into bloom with a profusion of brilliant scarlet-orange flowers over 5 inches across. Grows from 28 to 32 inches tall. **Pkt. 25c**

**804 Zinnia, Burpee's Giant Hybrids (36)**—These new Burpee Hybrids are the loveliest and largest Zinnias ever created. Immense fluffy, ruffled flowers with graceful curved petals, entirely free from stiffness and harshness. Shades of orange, unusual pinks, carmine, rose, vermilion, scarlet, corals and many others, all alive with color.

**A Packet with over 100 seeds for only 25c**



*Zinnias, Burpee's Giant Hybrids*





**166 Marigold, Parisian Hybrids (12)**—Every bloom blotched or striped in all the colors and tones known to Marigolds. Rich green foliage with blooms that average 2½ inches across. Free blooming and fully double. **Pkt. 15c**

**163 Marigold, Burpee Gold (30)**—Gives an abundance of glorious deep orange double blooms, 3½ inches across. **Pkt. 15c**

**165 Marigold, Red Head (12)**—All-America Winner. Especially fine for borders. First the blooms are a rich, mahogany-red, changing to auburn then to bronze and gold. **Pkt. 15c**

**806 Marigold, Glitters (32)**—All-America Winner. Chrysanthemum-flowered with bright lemon-yellow flowers, fluffy and 3 inches or more across. **Pkt. 25c**

**164 Marigold, Crackerjack (30)**—One of the finest new Marigolds in years. Large flowers (4 to 5 inches across), striking colors, fully double, held majestically above the attractive foliage on strong stems. The color range is superb, primrose, yellow, gold to bright orange. **Pkt. 25c**

### MARIGOLD OFFER

1 Pkt. Burpee Gold    1 Pkt. Red Head  
1 Pkt. Crackerjack    1 Pkt. Glitters  
1 Pkt. Parisian Hybrids

809 5 packets for just **75c**  
(Regular 95c value) Postpaid

### LARKSPUR

*Tall Spikes of Graceful Beauty*

**158 Larkspur, Annual Mixed (30)**—One of the finest annuals, ideal for garden color and cutting. Gives a continuous bloom if the faded blossoms are cut off. **Pkt. 15c**

**Larkspur, Giant Imperial (30)**—An ideal type for cutting with long flower stems, branching from the base. Your choice.

**155 Blue Spire**—Deep blue. **Pkt. 15c**

**156 Carmine King**—Carmine. **Pkt. 15c**

**157 White King**—Pure white. **Pkt. 15c**

**159 Lilac King**—rich lilac. **Pkt. 15c**

**160 Larkspur, Rosalind (40)**—A new color in Larkspur, pleasing shade of rose-pink. Excellent for cutting. **Pkt. 15c**

### LARKSPUR SPECIAL

1 Blue Spire    1 Carmine King  
1 White King

812 All 3 Pkts. for just **35c** Postpaid

### SWEET PEAS

*For Early Beauty*



**320 Sweet Peas, Cuthbertson Mixed**—A new strain of Sweet Peas which is a vast improvement over the Spring Flowering types. It grows and blooms with exceptional vigor, and abundance of fragrant blossoms. **Pkt. 15c**

**235 Tommy Cuthbertson**, best blue **Pkt. 15c**

**240 Jimmy Cuthbertson**, best red **Pkt. 15c**

**234 Sweet Pea New Cuthbertson Floribunda Mixed**—Variety of attractive colors, profuse bloomer. **Pkt. 25c**



**Scabiosa, Mourning Bride (Old Maid's Pincushion) (36)**—The blooms of our re-selected strains are almost round and shaped like a ball. Centers are tight with finely cut petals and many layers of crinkly overlapping guard petals. Long stems of cheerful colors.

**316 Scabiosa, Giant Rosette (36)**—A glorious new Scabiosa color, a deep, lovely rose, with extra large flowers. **Pkt. 15c**

**315 Scabiosa, Blue Moon (36)**—A new type with broad, wavy petals of a rich deep lavender blue. **Pkt. 15c**

**214 Finest Mixed**, lovely colors. **Pkt. 15c**

### PERENNIAL SEEDS

*Give Permanent Garden Beauty*

**852 Columbine, McKana's Giant**—First Perennial ever to win an All America Award. Finest, largest, long-spurred Columbine of rich, vivid colors. **Pkt. 25c**

**283 Delphinium, Gold Medal Hybrids Mixed (48)**—A choice mixture, tall spikes in shades of blue and purple. **Pkt. 15c**

**281 Hollyhocks, Dbl. Mixed (72)**—Character's choice strain, large double flowers of rose, maroon, pink, yellow, etc. **Pkt. 15c**

**282 Iceland Poppy, Imperial Jewels Mixed (20)**—Frilled flowers, color tones almost limitless. Usually blooms the first year. **Pkt. 15c**

**275 Shasta Daisy, Alaska (30)**—Very large white flowers with yellow centers. **Pkt. 15c**

### PETUNIAS

*Easy to Grow—Always in Bloom*

**Petunia (12)**—Easily grown, blooms early and continuously until frost. Improved colors make beautiful beds and borders.

**195 Balcony Mixed**—A mixture of all assorted colors. Best for window boxes. **Pkt. 15c**

**189 Celestial Rose**—Compact mounds of bright rose with a small white eye. **Pkt. 15c**

**187 Exquisite Mixed**—A special mixture that will please the most critical gardener, large flowers in a variety of colors. **Pkt. 15c**

**190 Flaming Velvet**—A large deep velvety-red, an excellent bedder. **Pkt. 15c**

**191 Fire Chief**—1950 All-America Winner, a brilliant red. Popular in bedding, borders, edgings and window boxes. **Pkt. 15c**

**188 Purple**—A large flowered beauty with deep purple blooms. **Pkt. 15c**

### FINEST NEW HYBRID PETUNIAS

Below we list 4 wonderful new Hybrid Petunias. In our trials these four, and Maytime, Red Satin and Glitters on page 76 were outstanding. Vigorous, compact, uniform plants that bloomed constantly from early in the season until frost. The entire plants were covered with the lovely flowers. If you start the seeds indoors, plants will be ready to set out when warm spring weather arrives.

**875 Inca**—Simply exquisite, a warm, sparkling rose-red. **Pkt. (150 seeds) 35c**

**801 Ballerina**—Large flowers, 3½ to 4 inches across of glowing salmon-pink. The finest single Petunia. **Pkt. (150 seeds) 35c**

**876 Paleface**—A late 1955 All-America Winner of pure white, slightly ruffled. By far the finest white Petunia. **Pkt. (150 seeds) 35c**

**851 Petunia, Prima Donna**—The giant pink flowers, 3½ to 4 inches across, are delightfully waved and fringed, lovely in the garden or in bouquets. **Pkt. (150 seeds) 35c**

### HYBRID PETUNIA SPECIAL

1 Inca    1 Prima Donna  
1 Ballerina    1 Paleface

880 All 4 Pkts. for **\$1.25** Postpaid  
FREE 1 Pkt. Maytime worth 50c, page 76



### SPECIAL PETUNIA OFFER

1 Balcony Mixed    1 Celestial Rose  
1 Exquisite Mixed    1 Flaming Velvet  
1 Purple

908 All 5 Pkts. for only **60c** Postpaid  
(Regular 75c value)



## ANNUAL VINES

Decorative

**289 Gourds, Ornamental Mixed**—This special mixture of the large and small ornamental varieties is very interesting. **Pkt. 15c**

**287 Cardinal Climber, Ipomea Hyb.**—A mass of fiery red flowers from mid-summer until frost. **Pkt. 15c**

**291 Morning Glory, Giant Flowering Mixed**—Large flowers and gay colors that you will enjoy. Like full sun. **Pkt. 15c**

### MORNING GLORY SPECIAL

1 Pkt. Imp. Heavenly Blue  
1 Pkt. Pearly Gates  
1 Pkt. Scarlett O'Hara

810 All 3 for 35c Postpaid



**292 Morning Glory, Imp. Heavenly Blue**—Clarke's Strain. The large, true-blue flowers with a lighter throat give a mass of beauty. Fine for trellis or arches. A coarse gravelly soil and southern exposure gives an abundance of morning bloom until frost. **Pkt. 15c**

**293 Morning Glory, Pearly Gates**—The flowers are a lovely lustrous white with creamy shading deep in the throat. They average 4½ inches across. **Pkt. 15c**

**306 Morning Glory, Scarlett O'Hara**—The rich, wine-red flowers of good size are freely produced and last longer. **Pkt. 15c**

**307 Morning Glory, Darling**—A new, annual climber with flowers of intense red with pure white throat. **Pkt. 15c**

### SPRING-TO-FROST FLOWER GARDEN

Aster, Double Mixed W.R.  
Bachelor Button, Double Mixed  
Larkspur, Annual Mixed  
Marigold, Crackerjack  
Nasturtium, Double Glorious Gleam  
Sweet Peas, Cuthbertson Mixed  
Zinnia, Giant Hybrids

One packet each of our 7 most popular annuals, giving you flowers of all colors from spring until frost. Value \$1.25.

800 All 7 for Only 95c Postpaid

## "Complete Your Garden with these Inter-State Annuals"

**103 African Daisy, Hybrids Mixed (15)**—Compact, bushy plants with white, orange, gold and salmon blossoms. **Pkt. 15c**

**107 Alyssum Procumbens, Carpet of Snow (4)**—The dwarf, white, edging plant blooms all summer and fall. **Pkt. 15c**

**805 Alyssum, Royal Carpet**—Grows only 2 to 3 inches tall and spreads to 10 inches across. It is a perfect ground cover, edging along walks, beds or borders. The flowers are an unusually lovely violet. **Pkt. 25c**

**118 Bachelor Button, Double Mixed (20)**—An abundance of double, colorful flowers July to frost. Fine for cutting. **Pkt. 15c**

**127 Bells of Ireland.** For delightful flower arrangements try these green veined one-inch bell flowers with small white centers on 18 to 24 inch stems. Everlastings. **Pkt. 15c**

**123 Calendula, Pacific Beauty Mixed (24)** The extra large blooms are dark orange with a scarlet sheen. **Pkt. 15c**

**129 Canterbury Bell, Annual Mixed (24)**—Blue, pink, rose, violet, and white flowers in late summer and autumn. **Pkt. 15c**

**130 Carnation, Chabaud's Giant Imp. (16)**—Our most popular early flowering clove-scented carnation. **Pkt. 15c**

**131 Castor Bean, Ricinus (120)**—Tall-growing background plant screening alleys and unsightly places. **Pkt. 15c**

**808 Cosmos, Fiesta (30)**—Bright orange petals are flashed with scarlet. Flowers are semi-double, ruffled, with lacy foliage. 2½ feet tall, blooms all summer. **Pkt. 25c**

**139 Cosmos, Radiance (48)**—A combination of two new colors. The petals are deep rose with a rich crimson eye and a bright yellow center. Blooms all summer. **Pkt. 15c**

**141 Cosmos—New Extra Early Sensation Mixed (48)**—A new strain that blooms two weeks earlier than other varieties. A full color range of very large flowers. **Pkt. 15c**

**124 Celosia, Pampas Plume (30)**—Large, feathered plumes of many bright colors, bronze, copper, gold, sunset and reds, on long stems. Grows 3 feet tall. **Pkt. 25c**

**303 Dahlia, New Dwarf Hybrids (20)**—This new strain of Dahlias is selected to give a higher percentage of true doubles and a much wider range of colors. **Pkt. 15c**

**145 Dianthus, Pinks, Heddewigii Dbl. Mixed (12)**—The freely-produced flowers of crimson, purple, pink, and white are fine for cutting. **Pkt. 15c**

**850 Celosia, Toreador**—Much brighter red than the other crimson-colored cockscombs. It grows 2 feet tall. Blooms midsummer until frost. Lovely in the garden or can be dried for winter bouquets. **Pkt. 35c**

*Celosia, Toreador, 1955 All-America Winner*



**182 Painted Daisies, Finest Mixed (18)**—The annual Chrysanthemum is easily grown and loved by all. Early blooms. **Pkt. 15c**

**148 Four O'Clocks, Marvel of Peru (24)**—Flowers of red, yellow, lilac and white from July until frost. **Pkt. 15c**

**154 Gypsophila, Annual Baby's Breath (15)**—Gives an abundance of large, pure white flowers. **Pkt. 15c**

**183 Pansy, Giant Superb Mixed (6)**—A large flowering strain in a beautiful color range. **Pkt. 15c**

**308 Pansy, Super Swiss Giants (6)**—For size, color, and free blooming qualities this garden favorite is unsurpassed. **Pkt. 15c**

**196 Poppies, American Legion (30)**—Brilliant scarlet that brightens your flower garden. Reseeds itself, lasts for years. **Pkt. 15c**

**209 Portulaca, Rose Moss, Dbl. Mixed (4)**—Delicate green foliage covered all season with bright colored flowers. **Pkt. 15c**

**225 Snapdragon, New Tetra (30)**—These new Giant Ruffled Tetraploid Snapdragons are the largest flowered of all. Distinctly ruffled with richer, brighter, clearer colors, beautiful tone blendings. **Pkt. 15c**



**226 Snapdragon, Super Giants, Rust-proof (30)**—A mixture of our own selection, taller and bearing larger blossoms. **Pkt. 15c**

**228 Strawflowers, Everlasting, Mixed (20)**—Especially selected for your winter and decorative bouquets. **Pkt. 15c**

**243 Salvia, Splendens, Globe of Fire (16)**—Continuous blooms of brilliant scarlet for your borders, beds and window boxes. **Pkt. 15c**

**244 Tithonia, Torch**—Waist high, bushy plants with brilliant orange-scarlet, single, dahlia-like blooms. **Pkt. 15c**

**248 Verbena, Giant Hybrids (10)**—Fine for borders, beds, boxes and among tall growing plants. All colors mixed. **Pkt. 15c**



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# Vegetable Seeds!

## Our Seed Guarantee

We guarantee our seeds to be of the best quality and to grow in your garden. Otherwise, we will replace them free.

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## BEANS

**One packet of Bush Beans will plant 25 feet and 1 pound 140 feet.**

### DWARF GREEN POD BUSH BEANS

\*401 **Burpee's Stringless Green Pod** (50 days)—Our most popular bush bean. It cannot be beat for table use or canning. Its quality, productiveness and tenderness have never been surpassed. Stringless.

**Big 3 Oz. Pkt. 20c; ½ Lb. 45c; 1 Lb. 80c**

411 **Gardengreen** (52 days)—New, 1959 All America Winner. Long, straight, smooth pods, dark green color with excellent flavor. Heavy producer, stringless good snapper.

**Big 3 Oz. Pkt. 30c; ½ Lb. 60c; 1 Lb. \$1.00**

\*400 **Greencrop** (52 days)—1957 All America Winner. Pods are stringless, long, straight and dark green with tender flesh of high quality.

**Big 3 Oz. Pkt. 25c; ½ Lb. 50c; 1 Lb. 90c**

\*403 **Tendergreen Improved** (53 days)—The round, dark-green pods are 6 to 7 inches long, straight, stringless, high quality. Heavy producer. Best of all varieties for freezing.

**Big 3 Oz. Pkt. 20c; ½ Lb. 45c; 1 Lb. 80c**

\*402 **Pearlgreen** (52 days)—New, All America Winner for 1958. Long, stringless, bright green pods with white seeds. High quality, disease resistant, highly productive, all-purpose snapbean.

**Big 3 Oz. Pkt. 25c; ½ Lb. 50c; 1 Lb. 90c**

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## BEAN SPECIAL

**½ Lb. Burpee's Stringless Green Pod**

**3 Oz. Brittle Wax**

**3 Oz. Fordhook No. 242 Lima**

**All for 70¢ Postpaid**

### DWARF WAX POD BEANS

\*406 **Brittle Wax** (54 days)—Superb quality, very early and highly productive. The long, tender yellow pods are perfectly stringless.

**Big 3 Oz. Pkt. 20c; ½ Lb. 45c; 1 Lb. 80c**

\*405 **Choctaw Wax Bean** (50 days)—1958 All America Winner. A high-quality, early yellow variety that is fine for table use, canning or freezing. Long and stringless

**Big 3 Oz. Pkt. 25c; ½ Lb. 50c; 1 Lb. 90c**

### BUSH LIMA BEANS

\*416 **Fordhook No. 242 Bush Lima** (75 days)—Earliest and best of big seeded Limas. Originated by U.S.D.A. 3 to 4 large, meaty beans to the pod.

**Big 3 Oz. Pkt. 20c; ½ Lb. 45c; 1 Lb. 80c**

412 **Henderson's Baby Lima** (65 days)—A tremendous yielder, a short row will give you delicious butter beans right up to frost.

**Big 3 Oz. Pkt. 20c; ½ Lb. 45c; 1 Lb. 80c**

### POLE BEANS

413 **Kentucky Wonder** (65 days)—Most widely planted Pole Bean. Bears early with clusters of long, curved green pods with tasty distinctive flavor.

**Big 3 Oz. Pkt. 20c; ½ Lb. 45c; 1 Lb. 80c**

## BEETS

**One Pkt. will sow 25 feet; 1 oz. 100 feet.**

\*421 **Crosby's Egyptian** (55 days)—Extra early, semi-flat, very tender and sweet.

**Pkt. 15c; ½ Oz. 30c; 1 Oz. 50c**

\*420 **Detroit Dark Red Improved** (61 days)—The most popular beet for the home garden and canning. Globe shaped, very smooth, a deep oxblood-red color.

**Pkt. 15c; ½ Oz. 30c; 1 Oz. 50c**

\*423 **Ruby Queen** (60 days)—1958 All America Winner. Top quality, round, smooth and tender. Uniform, rich-red interior color.

**Pkt. 25c; ½ Oz. 40c; 1 Oz. 70c**

## CABBAGE

**One Pkt. produces 100 Plants;  
1 Oz. 2,500 Plants.**

435 **Danish Ballhead** (100 days)—Our most popular late cabbage. 7 to 9 pounds.

**Pkt. 15c; ½ Oz. 45c; 1 Oz. 80c**

434 **Early Flat Dutch** (75 days)—An early, large, solid, flat-headed type. 5 to 6 pounds.

**Pkt. 15c; ½ Oz. 45c; 1 Oz. 80c**

436 **Early Jersey Wakefield** (60 days)—Extra early variety. 2 to 3 pounds.

**Pkt. 15c; ½ Oz. 45c; 1 Oz. 80c**

437 **Golden Acre** (65 days)—An extra early garden variety. 4 pounds.

**Pkt. 20c; ½ Oz. 50c; 1 Oz. 85c**

\*438 **Marion Market** (75 days)—Our most popular cabbage. Excellent quality. Good for all cooking purposes. 4 to 5 pounds.

**Pkt. 20c; ½ Oz. 50c; 1 Oz. 85c**

439 **Premium Late Flat Dutch** (100 days)—Large, flat headed winter cabbage. 13 to 15 pounds.

**Pkt. 15c; ½ Oz. 45c; 1 Oz. 80c**



## PUMPKINS

**One Pkt. will sow 8 hills;  
1 ounce 24 hills.**

**502 Connecticut Field** (120 days)—Heaviest producer. 15 to 25 pounds.

**Pkt. 15c; 1 Oz. 30c; 1/4 Lb. 75c**

**503 Small Sugar Pie** (115 days)—Delicious pies from its rich golden-orange flesh. 4 pounds.

**Pkt. 15c; 1 Oz. 30c; 1/4 Lb. 75c**

## CARROTS

**One Pkt. will sow 35 feet;  
1 oz. 200 feet.**

**\*427 Coreless Nantes** (68 days)—Extra fine quality. Very tender and sweet. 6 to 8 inches long.

**Pkt. 15c; 1/2 Oz. 35c; 1 Oz. 60c**

**\*429 Gold Pak** (72 days)—New, 1956 All America Winner. The 6 to 8 inch roots are very high quality, smooth, rich orange color and delicious flavor. Try some this spring.

**Pkt. 25c; 1/2 Oz. 50c**

**\*426 Improved Chantenay** (70 days)—The outstanding favorite with people who grow carrots in their garden. Thick, six-inch roots, very tender and sweet.

**Pkt. 15c; 1/2 Oz. 35c; 1 Oz. 60c**

**430 Oxheart** (72 days)—A good keeper. Bright orange, tender and sweet.

**Pkt. 15c; 1/2 Oz. 30c; 1 Oz. 50c**

## CUCUMBERS

**One Pkt. plants 15 hills;  
1 oz. 70 hills.**

**\*455 Burpee's Hybrid** (60 days)—Unequaled for size, shape, quality, quantity and high resistance to disease. Extremely vigorous and bears heavily after others have stopped. 8 inches long. White flesh of excellent quality.

**Pkt. (30 seeds) 35c; 3 Pkts. 75c**

**\*452 Smoothie** (60 days)—All America Winner for 1957. Dark green, white spined slicer about 8 inches long, smooth skinned, glossy fruit. Highest quality, delicious flavor.

**Pkt. 25c; 1/2 Oz. 50c**

**\*453 Improved Long Green** (62 days)—The best and most popular all-purpose cucumber, fine for slicing and pickling. Medium dark green, crisp.

**Pkt. 15c; 1/2 Oz. 30c; 1 Oz. 50c**

**\*454 Select National Pickling** (55 days)—Our most popular pickling type. Very early and enormously productive.

**Pkt. 15c; 1/2 Oz. 30c; 1 Oz. 50c**

**456 Straight Eight** (58 days)—A new white spine type, very productive and high quality.

**Pkt. 15c; 1/2 Oz. 30c; 1 Oz. 50c**

## SWEET CORN

**One Pkt. will sow 60 feet;  
1 Lb. 400 feet.**

**444 Golden Beauty** (73 days)—An early variety of excellent quality, ears with 12 to 14 rows of golden kernels. For early roasting ears.

**Big 3 Oz. Pkt. 25c; 1/2 Lb. 50c; 1 Lb. 90c**

**\*445 Golden Cross Bantam** (82 days)—Our most popular yellow hybrid, producing 12 rowed ears, 8 inches long. Once you grow this corn, you will always want it in your garden.

**Big 3 Oz. Pkt. 20c; 1/2 Lb. 45c; 1 Lb. 80c**

**443 Hybrid Stowell's Evergreen** (90 days)—All America Bronze Medal Winner. Ears are 8 inches long with 14 to 18 rows of tender, sweet, white kernels. Highest quality white.

**Big 3 Oz. Pkt. 25c; 1/2 Lb. 50c; 1 Lb. 90c**

**\*442 Lochief** (89 days)—Rated the best main crop yellow. Ideal for canning and freezing.

**Big 3 Oz. Pkt. 25c; 1/2 Lb. 50c; 1 Lb. 90c**

**\*446 Sugar King** (78 days)—New for 1959. A fine yellow hybrid corn that is large, sweet, tender and of the finest quality.

**Big 3 Oz. Pkt. 25c; 1/2 Lb. 50c; 1 Lb. 90c**

**\*447 Tendermost** (83 days)—The most tender of all our yellow hybrids, giant size kernels sugary-sweet. Very large ears.

**Big 3 Oz. Pkt. 25c; 1/2 Lb. 50c; 1 Lb. 90c**

### ALL SEASON COLLECTION

**1 Big 3 Oz. Pkt. each of**

**Golden Beauty Sugar King  
Golden Cross Bantam**

**440 All 3 for 60c Postpaid**

## LETTUCE

**One Pkt. will sow 50 feet;  
1 oz. 200 feet.**

**\*462 Black Seeded Simpson** (46 days)—Our most popular loose leaf lettuce.

**Pkt. 15c; 1 Oz. 45c**

**\*464 Early Prizehead** (45 days)—An early, non-heading home garden variety.

**Pkt. 15c; 1 Oz. 45c**

**463 Great Lakes Lettuce** (75 days)—A sure-heading variety. All-America winner of excellent quality.

**Pkt. 20c; 1/2 Oz. 40c**

**\*465 Ruby Lettuce** (45 days)—All America Winner for 1958. A beautiful, non-heading salad lettuce. Frilled, crisp tender leaves of rich bronze-red.

**Pkt. 25c; 1/2 Oz. 45c**

## PEANUTS

**486 Peanuts, Early Spanish**—Small but sweet. Large Pkt. 20c; 1/2 Lb. 45c; 1 Lb. 80c

**489 Peanuts, Jumbo**—The large standard roasting peanut. Stands heat and drought.

**Large Pkt. 20c; 1/2 Lb. 45c; 1 Lb. 80c**

## PEPPERS

**496 California Wonder** (70 days)—Smooth glossy green, becoming red when ripe.

**Pkt. 15c; 1/2 Oz. 50c**

**497 Ruby King** (68 days)—Dark green fruits, 4 1/2 to 6 inches long, which turn a ruby-red color when ripe.

**Pkt. 15c; 1/2 Oz. 50c**

**499 Pimiento** (72 days)—Excellent flavor, mild flesh. 2 1/2 to 3 inches long. Heart-shaped.

**Pkt. 15c; 1/2 Oz. 50c**

## POP CORN

**451 New Purdue Yellow Jumbo Hybrid** Pops to such enormous size, creamy yellow color. 3 Oz. Pkt. 20c; 1/2 Lb. 45c; 1 Lb. 80c

**450 White Hybrid Hulless**—Most popular white pop corn, very fine quality.

**3 Oz. Pkt. 20c; 1/2 Lb. 45c; 1 Lb. 80c**

## MUSKMELON (Cantaloupe)

**One Pkt. will sow 15 hills;  
1 Oz. 60 hills.**

**472 Early Delicious** (75 days)—The first melon of the season, delicious. 3 to 4 pounds.

**Pkt. 15c; 1 Oz. 45c; 1/4 Lb. 95c**

**470 Hales Best** (87 days)—Deep salmon and richly flavored. 4 pounds.

**Pkt. 15c; 1 Oz. 45c; 1/4 Lb. 95c**

**\*471 Hearts of Gold** (88 days)—Salmon-orange flesh, tender, juicy and very sweet. The most popular muskmelon for general use. 4 pounds.

**Pkt. 15c; 1 Oz. 45c; 1/4 Lb. 95c**

**474 Pennsweet** (78 days)—All America Winner. The best new early variety with thick sweet flesh. Small in size but can't be beat for flavor.

**Pkt. 20c; 1 Oz. 50c; 1/4 Lb. \$1.10**

## WATERMELON

**One Pkt. will sow 10 hills;  
1 oz. 30 hills.**

**\*480 Early Kansas Sweet** (85 days)—A large, medium early melon, fine for home gardens. Thin green-striped rind, bright red flesh of sweet flavor. 40 pounds.

**Pkt. 15c; 1 Oz. 40c; 1/4 Lb. 90c**

**\*477 Imp. Kleckley Sweet No. 6** (87 days)—Many consider this the best watermelon. Has bright red flesh which is crisp, tender and very sweet. 35 pounds.

**Pkt. 15c; 1 Oz. 40c; 1/4 Lb. 90c**

**475 New Hampshire Midget** (65 days)—Just right for the refrigerator, 7 to 8 inches long with sweet, rich, red, juicy flesh.

**Pkt. 20c; 1 Oz. 50c**

**478 Stone Mountain** (86 days)—The large, round, solid dark green melons. Ripens medium early, delicious.

**Pkt. 15c; 1 Oz. 40c; 1/4 Lb. 90c**



## ONIONS

**One Pkt. will sow 12 to 15 feet;  
1 oz. 200 feet.**

**482 Giant Yellow Sweet Spanish** (112 days)—The most popular yellow onion. Large with mild, crisp, white flesh.

**Pkt. 20c; ½ Oz. 45c; 1 Oz. 80c**

**481 Southport Red Globe** (110 days)—The favorite red onion with white flesh.

**Pkt. 15c; ½ Oz. 40c; 1 Oz. 70c**

**483 Southport White Globe** (115 days)—The best and most popular white onion.

**Pkt. 15c; ½ Oz. 40c; 1 Oz. 70c**

**485 Yellow Globe Danvers** (111 days)—White flesh, crisp and fine quality.

**Pkt. 15c; ½ Oz. 40c; 1 Oz. 70c**

## PEAS

**One Pkt. will sow 15 feet;  
1 lb. 100 feet.**

**\*490 New Alaska** (54 days)—For those first Peas from your garden. This is an improved strain with large pods, better flavor and very productive.

**Big 3 Oz. Pkt. 20c; ½ Lb. 40c; 1 Lb. 70c**

**\*491 Early Bird** (60 days)—One of the earliest large podded semi-wrinkled peas.

**Big 3 Oz. Pkt. 20c; ½ Lb. 40c; 1 Lb. 70c**

**493 Freezonian** (63 days)—Recommended for freezing. Vines are 30 inches with 3½ inch pods.

**Big 3 Oz. Pkt. 20c; ½ Lb. 40c; 1 Lb. 70c**

**494 Laxton's Progress** (62 days)—The earliest and heaviest yielding of the large podded peas.

**Big 3 Oz. Pkt. 20c; ½ Lb. 40c; 1 Lb. 70c**

**\*495 Little Marvel** (62 days)—Our most popular wrinkled variety and the most satisfactory kind in the average home garden. Very productive, the pods are filled from end to end with the delicious, tender peas.

**Big 3 Oz. Pkt. 20c; ½ Lb. 40c; 1 Lb. 70c**

**498 Victory Freezer** (65 days)—Vines are 29 inch, heavy with double pods 3-3½ inches long. Medium size peas, fine for freezing.

**Big 3 Oz. Pkt. 20c; ½ Lb. 40c; 1 Lb. 70c**

## TURNIPS

**One packet sows 40 feet;  
1 oz. 200 feet.**

**533 Purple Top Strap Leaf** (48 days)—Flat, medium sized roots, purple topped.

**Pkt. 15c; 1 Oz. 25c**

**\*534 Purple Top White Globe** (47 days)—Most widely planted turnip. Globe-shaped and white, tender flesh.

**Pkt. 15c; 1 Oz. 25c**

## TOMATOES

**522 Burpee's Hybrid Big Boy** (70 days)—Fruits are medium to large, globular in shape. Flesh is meaty and scarlet-red in color.

**Pkt. (30 seeds) 50c; 3 Pkts. \$1.35**

**514 Earliana** (66 days)—Extra early, medium size.

**Pkt. 15c; ½ Oz. 50c; 1 Oz. 90c**

**516 Giant Ponderosa** (88 days)—Fruit of immense size, solid and fine flavor.

**Pkt. 15c; ½ Oz. 55c; 1 Oz. 95c**

**524 Jubilee** (72 days)—New and different. Large orange-yellow skinned fruit, non-acid wonderful flavor.

**Pkt. 15c; ½ Oz. 75c**

**\*519 Marglobe Certified** (77 days)—Large, smooth, deep red, globe-shaped with firm meat.

**Pkt. 15c; ½ Oz. 40c; 1 Oz. 75c**

**\*523 Rutgers Certified** (77 days)—Most widely planted of all tomatoes. Fine quality.

**Pkt. 15c; ½ Oz. 40c; 1 Oz. 75c**

## RADISHES

**One pkt. will sow 30 feet; 1 oz. 100 feet.**

**\*504 Champion** (27 days)—1957 All America Winner. Bright red outside with crisp, tender, white flesh. High quality.

**Pkt. 25c; 1 Oz. 50c**

**505 Cherry Belle** (25 days)—Round as a cherry and just as red.

**Pkt. 15c; 1 Oz. 30c**

**\*507 New Crimson Giant** (28 days)—Fast becoming the most popular of all radishes. Deep crimson with white flesh, crisp, tender.

**Pkt. 15c; 1 Oz. 30c**

**\*508 White Icicle** (27 days)—Long, snow-white radish, mild, crisp and tender.

**Pkt. 15c; 1 oz. 30c**

## SPINACH

**One Pkt. sows 35 feet; 1 oz. 100 feet.**

**513 Mustard Spinach, Tendergreen** (25 days)—Combines the flavors of mustard and spinach.

**Pkt. 15c; 1 Oz. 30c**

**\*511 Nobel's Giant Thick Leaf** (43 days)—One of the heaviest yielders. Large dark green leaves.

**Pkt. 15c; 1 Oz. 30c; ¼ Lb. 60c**

**512 Savoy Bloomsdale** (40 days)—Large, curled, green leaves.

**Pkt. 15c; 1 Oz. 30c**

## SQUASH

**528 Acorn, Table Queen** (80 days)—Dark green hard shell. Rich orange-yellow flesh, fine flavor. 1 pound.

**Pkt. 15c; 1 Oz. 30c**

**530 Black Beauty** (55 days)—1957 All America Winner. New, extra fine summer squash. Grows 2 to 3 feet tall, prolific producer. At best table stage, fruits are 8 to 12 inches long and 2 to 4 inches across. Delicious, tender, white flesh.

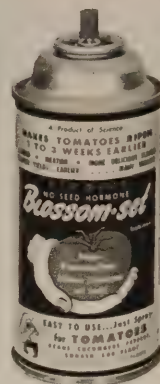
**Pkt. 20c; 1 Oz. 40c**

**527 Chicago Warty Hubbard** (115 days)—Dark green, warty. Orange-yellow flesh. 16 pounds.

**Pkt. 15c; 1 Oz. 30c**

**531 Striped Cushaw** (115 days)—Crook-necked, large, green striped. Sweet, light yellow flesh.

**Pkt. 15c; 1 Oz. 30c**



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*For a  
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of brilliant colors  
from those  
shady spots  
in your garden*



## *Red Picotee Begonia*

**P 325 Red Picotee Begonia.** These are lovely, double, perfectly formed flowers, even larger than pictured, white with a sparkling bright red edging. Each flower of this delightful new type of Begonia will thrill you. Grow them the same way as the Ballerina Begonias (page 84), outdoors in summer, indoors in winter. These are American-grown, finest quality bulbs. **POSTPAID.**

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Elizabeth the Queen,  
our most popular Glad.  
Described on page 71.

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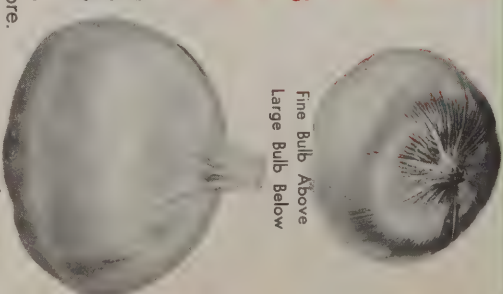
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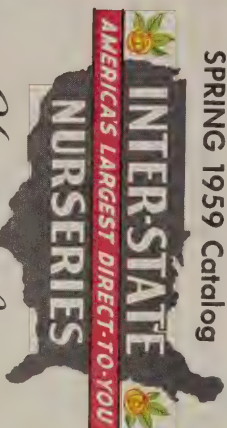
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Yellow

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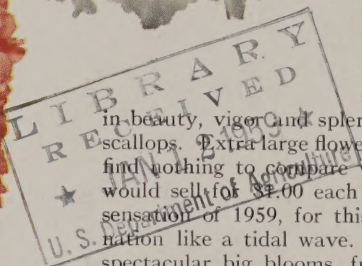
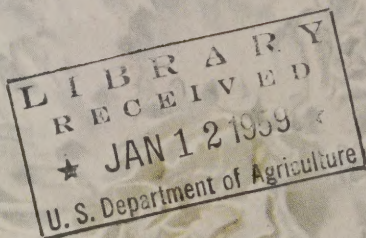
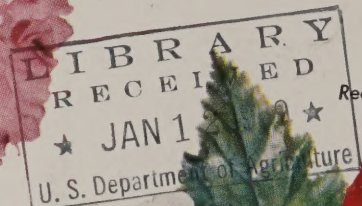
# Ballerina Begonias

Pictured about 1/2 actual size.

Pink

Red

White



Plant in shady spots or on north side of the house for beautiful blooms this summer.

Copper

Yellow

## Ballerina

### Fabulous Super Ruffled Double Tuberous Begonias

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